

# Bethlehem Steel Workers Go on Strike

## Moonshiner Suspect and Son, 17, Nabbed at Still

### Guldin Surprises Pair in Woods at North Coventry

By NORMAND POIRIER  
(Mercury Staff Writer)

A 48-year-old father and his 17-year-old son—both carrying glass jugs—were trapped at gun-point yesterday afternoon as they approached an elaborate 500-gallon-a-day moonshiner's still deep in North Coventry woods.

Police Chief Daniel Guldin, who made the arrest single-handedly, charged the father, Greer Bauchaman of St. Peter's, with manufacturing liquor illegally.

The son, Donald, will be turned over to Chester county juvenile authorities. The Bauchamans live four miles

(Continued on Page Ten)

### Pleading Not Guilty



—Mercury Staff Photo

Greer Bauchaman, 48, of St. Peter's, tells Justice of the Peace Harry Anderson that he is not guilty of making moonshine. The suspect said he heard about the still and was just going to take a look at it. His son, Donald, 17, will be turned over to the juvenile authorities, Chief Guldin said.

### 'Do the Best and Hope...'

## School Board Head Recalls Early Days

By NORMAN B. REED  
(Mercury Staff Writer)

After spending 32 of his 72 years as a school director, Morris W. Hausman, Boyertown RD 1, still has his health and the ability to face problems with good humor.

"You can't please all of the people," he says, "so you just do your best and hope for the best."

The wiry, durable veteran of the board meetings leaned back in his favorite rocking chair at his farm home last night and let his mind wander back a few years.

"I've lived in Colebrookdale township all my life," he said, "but never thought of running for school board until they put it up to me at a party caucus."

HOUSMAN, like a majority of township residents, is a Democrat. During World War I he served four

### THE WEATHER

Considerable cloudiness, hot and more humid today and tomorrow. Scattered thundershowers this afternoon, tonight and tomorrow.

High **Mercury** Low  
**88** Antics **65**  
TEMPERATURE EXTREMES  
Local temperatures yesterday and early this morning were:

4 a. m.	68	4 p. m.	87
5 a. m.	66	5 p. m.	85
6 a. m.	65	6 p. m.	84
7 a. m.	67	7 p. m.	82
8 a. m.	70	8 p. m.	80
9 a. m.	72	9 p. m.	80
10 a. m.	78	10 p. m.	79
11 a. m.	80	11 p. m.	77
12 m.	82	12 p. m.	78
1 p. m.	84	1 a. m.	76
2 p. m.	86	2 a. m.	74
3 p. m.	88	3 a. m.	72

Sunday picnicers also would be wise to carry a few sweaters along. Sunday evening may get a little on the chilly side.

Matthew I. Peacock, of the U. S. Weather Bureau, Reading, credited a wave of warm air from the Mississippi valley for the hot weather of the past week.

PEACOCK SAID the air has been traveling towards Canada making

(Continued on Page Ten)

### Norco Chief Examines Moonshiners' Elaborate Paraphernalia



—Mercury Staff Photo by Eugene Orlando

Police Chief Daniel Guldin, who arrested a father and his son at gun-point yesterday afternoon, examines the elaborate still where he arrested them. The chief was hidden deep in the North Coventry woods when the two walked in on him.

### LONG WEEKEND STARTS TONIGHT

Pottstonians to Scurry To Beaches, Pools, Picnic Grounds

Pottstonians will scurry from their homes over the July 4 weekend.

From all directions, work-weary residents will stream out of the borough.

Some will seek relief at the shore. Others will recline on area picnic grounds and a few, very few, will rest at home.

The Pottstown Automobile club reported there will be a steady flow of vacationers departing from

### Next Long Weekend Due July 4, 1958

July 4, 1958 is a long way off, but to the long-range vacation planner, it's a date to circle and remember.

July 4, 1958, will occur on a Friday and to weary workmen and withered white collar workers, that will mean a three-day holiday, an especially long weekend to get away from it all.

The last time area residents profited by a long July 4 weekend was 1952, when Independence Day occurred on a Friday.

the borough and area over the weekend.

THE CLUB has been preparing an average of 35 daily trip tours the past two weeks.

Reservations at area parks point to a very active weekend. But the weatherman can make or break holiday activities.

And his promise is neither good, nor bad. He has predicted scattered showers and overhanging clouds.

"If the weather's right, we'll have a park full of people on Sunday and Monday," asserted Otto Quinke, superintendent of Upper Perkiomenville Valley park, Green Lane.

Quinke added, "We don't have much unreserved space left for Sunday and Monday. There's still a lot of available space for Saturday. If the weatherman cooperates this will be the biggest weekend of the year."

RAYMOND C. Hartenstine, proprietor of Sunnybrook park, Sanatoga, reported 40 picnic parties, representing more than 300 persons, have reserved space for the weekend.

A spokesman at Lakeview Amusement park, Royersford, reported the park will be crowded over the weekend.

A spokesman at Jack's Service station, West and High streets, said the pre-holiday business is "very good." He said he had nearly 100 oil change and grease jobs this week.

Edgar C. Bush, West High

(Continued on Page Ten)

### Adventist Sessions Open

## 'Closer Walk with God' Urged at Camp Meet

"What progress are we making spiritually?" Allegheny conference members were challenged with that question at the opening session of the Seventh Day Adventist camp meeting at Pine Forge last night.

Elder William L. Cheatham, president of the conference, put the question to 300 delegates as he addressed them in the big meeting tent.

"Adventist membership is over 1,000,000 strong today," he observed. "This represents wonderful growth and progress in membership, but brothers and sisters, the important question is what spiritual progress we are making."

He asked his listeners to seek a closer walk with God and realize the importance of uniting "one with another with the brethren."

"Are you stronger or weaker?" he demanded. "Are you growing? God's command is to go forward!"

THE PRESIDENT declared that the Allegheny conference program is one of progress. "Let no one of tomorrow be able to say that in this year of decision, when destiny was in our hands, we failed to measure up," he warned.

Elder Cheatham noted that some visitors to the camp came from great distances—from California and as far away as Africa.

J. H. Wagner, president of the South Atlantic conference and former president of the Allegheny conference, was among the visitors. He brought

(Continued on Page Twenty-four)

### UNDERTAKER DIES SUDDENLY

E. Raymond Mohr Stricken By Heart Attack At Viewing

E. Raymond Mohr, 53, proprietor of a 100-year-old undertaking establishment, died suddenly last night at a viewing in his funeral parlor, Main and Spruce streets, Birdsboro.

A native of Birdsboro, and a civic leader in the community for that past 30 years, Mr. Mohr was stricken at 7:15 o'clock, while presiding at a viewing of the late Owen G. Hughes, Elverson RD 1.

He was pronounced dead 15 minutes later at his home, by Dr. Linton E. March, Birdsboro, who reported that Mr. Mohr suffered a heart attack.

Mr. Mohr, proprietor of the century-old business established by his great-grandfather and carried on by his grandfather, the late Raymond Mohr, and his father, the late Edwin F. Mohr, had been in apparent good health.

HE AND MRS. MOHR had returned from a three-week trip to California this past May 29. Mr. Mohr had suffered a heart attack several years ago, but associates and friends thought that he had fully recovered.

His sudden death came as a profound shock to his family and close friends.

Mr. Mohr was known by funeral directors across the Commonwealth and his club and civic associations had at-

(Continued on Page Twenty-four)

### Firemen Search For Black Snake In Futile Hunt

Twenty-five Limerick firemen last night searched for the black snake that wasn't there.

Searching with firemen was John Wolfe, fire house proprietor, and a sly veteran of the practical joke.

Wolfe helped alarmed firemen search for the five-foot snake through every dark corner of the firehouse for several hours. He never once faltered as he talked up the search, but all during the futile hunt he was shaking inside like a bowl of jello—for Wolfe was responsible for the snake that wasn't there.

Firemen, convening in the fire house, Limerick village, began to search for the missing snake, when one of their number the Rev. W. Reed Teitworth, pastor of St. James Reformed church, told them that he had left the snake in a

(Continued on Page Twenty-four)

### Heading for the Wild Frontier

Letting a potential Davy Crockett hat slip right through his fingers is Donald G. Davis, 234 Wilson street. This raccoon may have been looking for his uncle in a hat store when he wandered into town early yesterday morning. However, he only managed to arouse the sporting interest of three employees of the VanBuskirk hardware store, 218 High street. They pursued him around a nearby roof until they caught him in this garbage can.



—Mercury Staff Photo

## No Agreement Reached; Talks To Be Continued

Pottstown's Bethlehem Steel plant automatically went out on strike last night when negotiators in Pittsburgh failed to reach an agreement on a new contract by the midnight deadline.

More than 600,000 steelworkers across the Nation stopped work, although no official strike decision was announced by CIO Steelworkers officials.

At 1 a. m., chief management and union negotiators broke up a five-hour long meeting and said only that "we are continuing our meetings."

The Associated Press said that "they apparently had not yet reached an agreement."

IT WAS the first strike at the Pottstown plant since the Summer of 1952. Workers struck for eight weeks—55 days—that time.

Some workers in plants across the country jumped the gun last night by walking off jobs and setting up picket lines even before the midnight deadlines.

But in Pottstown there was little activity on the part of workers.

About 30 men milled around the main Keim street gate of the plant.

CHARLES HARTMAN, vice president (Continued on Page Nine)

### Borough-Employed Weed Cutter Keeps Cutting Overgrowth

See Photo on Page 11

Ad Murray's mower kept on cutting yesterday.

The Pottstown RD 2 farmer has been retained by the borough to cut the weeds on properties whose owners ignored the borough's weed notices directing that unsightly growths of weeds be removed.

Moving yesterday through the litter strewn by thoughtless individuals, Murray hacked down the wild plants on several lots along Grove street, between Roland and Price streets.

The lots belong to out-of-town owners, who failed to respond to the borough's notices.

THEY WILL be sent a bill for Murray's labor from the office of Borough Manager Horace B. Guldin.

According to the anti-weed ordinance, a 20 percent penalty can be tacked onto the charges. Guldin

(Continued on Page Nine)

### Rooftop Chase Ends With 'Coon Captured in Can'

By CARL A. HIGH  
(Mercury Staff Writer)

A rooftop romp with a riled raccoon raged riotously yesterday morning behind the Weiss Apparel store, 214 High street.

At 6:45 a. m. Robert Shively, who lives in a third floor apartment at 216 High street, was awakened by a neighbor, R. Clarence Rhoads, 214 High street.

"There's a raccoon on your fire escape," the sleepy-eyed Shively was told.

He took a look and saw the critter taking a peaceful stroll on the low roof that separates the two buildings.

REALIZING THAT catching a 'coon is too much work for one unarmed man, Shively enlisted the aid of Elodius Rogers, Douglassville RD 1, and Richard Repko, 221 Queen street, fellow employees at the VanBuskirk hardware store, 218 High street.

Armed with a garbage can, a rake and several lengths of rope, the three men climbed the low roof and set out to capture the 'coon. With Repko holding the can at one end of the roof, the other two chased the raccoon up and down until it took the hint and entered the make-shift cage.

But all ended well for the wild animal.

HE WAS taken into the hardware store and treated to a breakfast of raw carrots and lettuce—possibly

(Continued on Page Ten)

## EARL WENTZEL FOUND GUILTY IN RUNNEMEDE

Job Suspension Stands for Veteran County Employee

Earl E. Wentzel, veteran Pottstown employee of Montgomery county, yesterday morning was found guilty of disorderly conduct and fined by a Runnemeade, N. J., magistrate, and later in the day still was refused permission to return to the job he held for 33 years in the courthouse, Norristown.

Wentzel, 63-year-old employee of the photostat department of the Recorder of Deeds, Norristown, initially had been charged with drunken driving.

William J. Boden, Pottstown political leader and Montgomery county recorder of deeds, last night said that Wentzel's indefinite suspension from his courthouse job "still stands."

"There's no change in his status," Boden asserted.

Wentzel, who lives at 138 Beech street, had been the object of a four-day search by police of two states before his family learned that he was a prisoner in Camden county jail.

Before he was located in the New Jersey jail, his family last had heard from him on Sunday, June 19, when he called his wife from Atlantic City and reported that he had been held up and robbed.

Wentzel originally was charged with drunken driving after his arrest in Runnemeade on Monday, June 29. Bail of \$250 was provided by Wentzel's family on June 24 and he was

(Continued on Page Ten)

### Slogan Entries Deluge Deadline

The "Sell Pottstown" slogan contest ended at midnight last night with a deluge of contest entries, submitted just under the wire.

Slogan entries were heaviest in the contest the past two days. Judges for the contest, which will reward some lucky entry with \$500, will be named soon.

The contest, sponsored by the Building Industries Exchange in cooperation with The Mercury is to select a slogan and by-word that can be used in selling the borough to industries that might locate here.

### ON THE MAIN DRAG

JOHN CREAGHAN

—discussing "cigarette camps."

MRS. DON JONES

—getting sound advice.

EARL RHOADS

—posing for a picture.

MARY LOU MARTIN

—tearing her hair out.

SHIRLEY MORAN

—monopolizing a TV set.

NEAL KNIFFEN

—giving his car its daily bath.

JOE JEFFERSON

—praising Lady Luck.

HELEN MATTHEWS

—displaying a sun-lamp tan.

OLIVER CHRISTMAN

—marveling at the younger set.

JANE REIGNER

—getting set for a vacation.







## Friendship Circle Meets at Home Of Grace Weller

COLLEEN DALE—Amy D. Dangler, coor. Hostess Agency, Del. Phone 6000. The "Friendship Circle" met at the home of Grace Weller, Morysville, the past week. Plans were made for a picnic at Kutztown swimming pool on Saturday, July 23. During the devotional period, hymns were sung and the topic for June read by Miss Weller.

Refreshments were served with Esther Gresh and Miss Weller as hostesses. The following were present: Joyce Gresh, Mrs. Patrice Lord, Hannah Hartshaw, Mrs. Jean Benditt, Esther Wade, Barbara Allen, Mrs. Madeline Hertzog, Ellen Conrad, Barbara Dieroll, Mrs. Geraldine Walter, Mrs. Virginia Slavek, Amy Dangler, Shirley Hegele, Mrs. Mil-

dred James, Mrs. Paul Weller and the hostesses. Many callers visited Mr. and Mrs. Harry Powell and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Handwork during the past week. Powell is confined to the house for the past three and one-half years and Mrs. Powell serves as his nurse. The following were callers: The Rev. Thomas Bare, pastor of Bethel church; Mrs. Harris Fries, of Harmonyville; Mrs. Saria Keim, of Sanatoga; Mrs. Ora Christman and Mrs. Grace Carl of Parker-

ford; Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Thompson, Pottstown; Ann Weidner, Mrs. Edna Ford, of Norristown; Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Handwork and daughters, Sandra and Sarah, of Spring City, RD. Mrs. Max Christ and daughter, Fern, spent the weekend in Pottstown. Mrs. Max Wachter and Mrs. Robert Schadler and daughter, Sandra, and Andrea Oschenbrenner, of Reading, visited Amy and Annie Dangler. Mrs. Wachter, who tips. Win awards by telephoning 6000.

in the Pine Forge Consolidated school for many years. HARRISBURG, June 30 (AP)—Gov. Leader today was presented four top awards by the National Safety council for Pennsylvania's various programs of traffic safety during the past year. The Mercury weekly offers \$10 in cash awards for the best news tips. Win awards by telephoning 6000.

## Klauder Family Visits Friends

TRAPPE—Mrs. Donald Verkes, Cor. Phone Schwenksville 9103, Wm. Brown, Del. Phone Collegeville 3417, Perry Kist, Del. Phone Collegeville 616. Mrs. John C. Klauder of 332 Main street and Mrs. H. H. Clarke of Roxborough were the luncheon guests last Thursday of Mrs. Walter Wilkinson of Drexelbrook. Mrs. Clarke came to Trappe with Mrs.

Klauder and was her houseguest for several days. Mr. and Mrs. Louis Kruckeberg of Black road spent Saturday at Schrack's Corner as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Groff and on Sunday their guests were Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Cavell of Philadelphia. A/C James S. Hefelfinger Jr. and his fiancée, Virginia Adamson of Trooper, entertained about thirty-five friends and relatives at a swimming

party Sunday at the home of his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Al Wolf of Lansdale. Airman Hefelfinger is leaving on Friday to report at Manhattan Beach Air Force Base in N.Y. from where he will leave for duty in Germany. He had spent a forty-day leave here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Hefelfinger of Main street. Know news? Phone The Mercury, Pottstown 6000. You may earn extra money.

## "VIVA VELVET"

Long live this lovely swim suit look... the leg-flattering "shorts" silhouette in this new Jantzen "Textured Stripe" acetate-Lastex fabric.

**Jantzen**  
\$18.95

A slenderizing white suit with novelty stripe in Celaperm sealed-in colors to last the life of the suit. Famous Jantzen "Shape Makers" means the boned bra is interlined with curve-keeping Pellon. Choice of 3 stripe-colors; trimmed at bra and pockets with soft velvet.

Others from 8.95



figure-perfect  
strapless  
BRA SLIP  
by  
GILEAD



A cup - 34 - 36  
B cup - 32 - 38  
C cup - 32 - 40

3.98

In sanforized cotton; ideal for all-around wear. Just perfect for the smooth, subtle lines of today's fashions! Dainty eyelet trim top and bottom. Talon front-zipper; white.



ELLIS MILLS . . . Lingerie . . . Street Floor

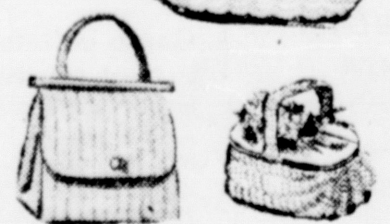


A new shipment of gay summer

## HANDBAGS

Beautiful straw vagabonds, pouches, drawstrings and large totes . . . and flower trimmed baskets. Natural, white, black, red and multi-colored.

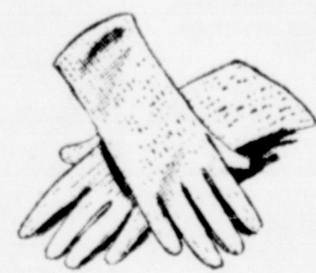
2.95 to 7.95  
plus tax



ELLIS MILLS . . . Handbags . . . Street Floor

New arrivals  
Summer  
GLOVES  
of nylon mesh

\$2.00



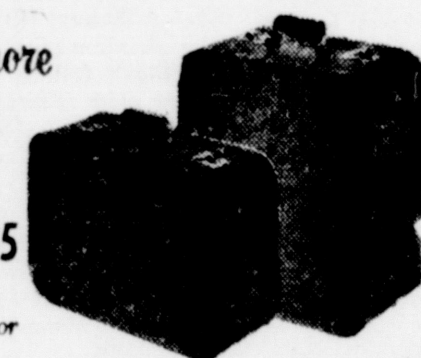
The glove for easy Summer wear and care. Any sud's bring them fresh-as-ever in seconds. White and navy; fancy or plain.

ELLIS MILLS . . . Gloves . . . Street Floor

Lady Baltimore

FINE LUGGAGE  
for any where you go. Blue and green.

\$13.95 to \$21.95  
plus tax



Luggage . . . Street Floor

INTO-SUMMER  
Play Timers  
FOR THE COOKIE CROWD!



TAKE **Chux**  
DISPOSABLE DIAPERS  
2 DOZEN \$1.98  
Large Size

Small sizes for babies under 12 lbs. 3 dozen \$1.98.



CARTER'S soft knit sun-suits for boys and girls. Polka-dots and stripes . . . 6 mos. to 4 yrs. 1.50

BERMUDA SHORTS with boxer tops for boys and girls. Plaids and solids; sizes—3-6x. 1.79

BATHING SUITS for sunning or swimming. Cotton prints; sizes 2-3x; 4-6x. 1.98 and 2.98

SWIM TRUNKS for boys. Stripes and solids; boxer and brief lastex styles. Sizes 2-3x; 4-6x. 1.19 to 1.98

ELLIS MILLS . . . Infants' Shop . . . Street Floor



by  
Forever  
Young  
\$8.95

Sizes  
14 1/2 to 24 1/2

Check 'n Double Check  
... today's fashion first!

There's a wonderfully gay, lighthearted look about this summer-thru-fall charmer. Miniature square neck, outlined in crisp white pique is so complimentary. Freedom is yours in its circular skirt. Checkmate fabric is of combed cotton and celaperm to insure perfect laundering. Colors: blue, purple.

ELLIS MILLS . . . Fashion Bowl . . . Second Floor

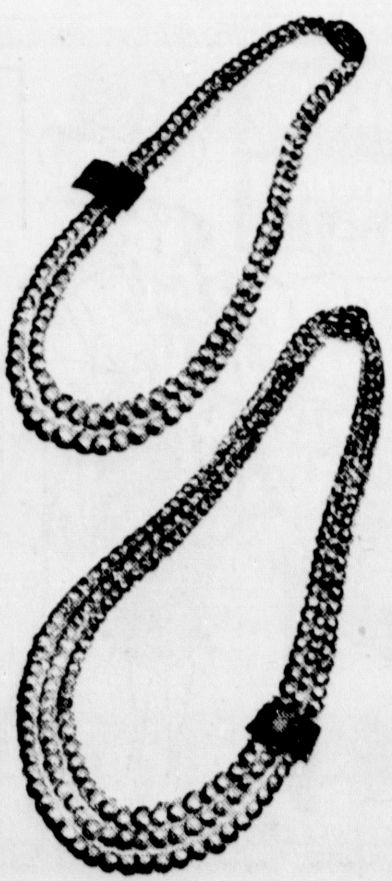
SHOP  
FRIDAY  
'TIL 9

Saturday 9:30 to 5:30  
OUR STORE CLOSED  
INDEPENDENCE DAY  
MONDAY, JULY 4th

**Sale!**

PEARLS  
Values to 2.00 \$1.00  
plus tax

Simulated pearl necklaces, chokers and bracelets with rhinestone clasps.



Jewelry . . . Street Floor

Pre-Holiday SALE!  
BETTER SUMMER

**HATS**  
\$2.77 and \$4.77  
FORMERLY TO 12.95

Others 2.99 and 3.99

ELLIS MILLS . . . Millinery . . . Second Floor

Repeating a sell-out! SALE! Friday and Saturday Only

## GRANITE NYLONS



60 gauge - 12 denier.  
FIRST QUALITY. Reg.  
\$1.35 value.

3  
PRS.  
2.60

**88** c pr.

Sizes 8 1/2-11; Short, Med., Long

ELLIS MILLS . . . Hosiery . . . Street Floor



# Pottstown Mercury

and THE POTTSTOWN NEWS

Published every morning except Sunday by the Pottstown Daily News Publishing Co., Hanover and King Streets, Phone 6000.  
WILLIAM M. HESTER, President  
SHANDY HILL, General Manager  
CHARLES D. TRELEVEN, Managing Editor

**SUBSCRIPTION RATES**  
By Carrier — 25c per Week, \$12 per Year  
By Mail (payable strictly in advance) — Three Months \$3.00, Six Months \$5.50, One Year \$10.00  
Within 150 miles — \$12.00, \$6.00, \$3.45, \$1.45  
All Others — 15.00, 7.50, 4.25, 1.75

Entered at Pottstown Postoffice as 2nd class matter  
MEMBER OF THE ASSOCIATED PRESS  
The Associated Press is entitled exclusively to the use for republication of all local news printed in this newspaper, as well as all AP news dispatches. All rights of special dispatches herein are also reserved.

FRIDAY, JULY 1, 1955

**A brave captain is as a root, out of which, as branches, the courage of his soldiers doth spring.**—Sir Philip Sidney.

## A Second Away from Death!

THIS is the day you've been looking for! Friday!

Now your work's ended. There's a three-day holiday ahead. Maybe two weeks' vacation.

Man, you say, let's jump into the auto fast and go places!

But whoa! Let's give this rush business a little thought. What's the hurry? In traffic this weekend there'll be 40 million vehicles on the move. In such heavy traffic a driver is never more than a second away from an accident!

If you're going to rush around, you'll have to make from 20 to 50 decisions an hour... and a wrong one may be fatal!

Every time America has a three-day weekend holiday it has a tragically long list of traffic fatalities.

The Memorial Day weekend, with 368 dead in traffic accidents alone, certainly should remind you for the need of caution over the Fourth.

If those 368 had died in a nationwide epidemic the whole country would be taking frantic steps to see that it never happened again. Yet they did die from an epidemic—a highway epidemic we might call the three I's—impatience, indifference and irresponsibility.

The deaths of those 368 are a tragic reminder that too many of us have forgotten to use the Golden Rule in traffic. When we share a common highway, we are our brother's keeper in a very real sense.

Be careful this weekend. For a safer Fourth, just abide by these four driving tips:

1. Start early, before traffic is heavy. You can cover a lot of miles in relatively light traffic early in the day.
2. Don't compete in traffic—let the other fellow go first.
3. Don't follow the car ahead too closely. Double check before passing or changing lanes.
4. Above all, don't speed. Losing a little time is better than losing your life.

## Save Our Pastures

ONCE burned, twice shy, the saying goes. And it seems to work out pretty much that way with people who have had actual day to day experience with government regulation and control of their lives. Such people appreciate to the fullest traditional American freedoms which many of us take for granted.

An editor of a Finnish language newspaper in a western town who has much personal knowledge of Scandinavian countries as well as above average information concerning many other European countries, recently remarked that socialism may work out all right in Sweden, but that a similar system in this country would wreck us in two years.

He can't understand why any American would want to promote policies which would change the free economic system which now allows any individual to work in whatever activity he wishes and to reap rewards from his own abilities and enterprise. He also pointed to the agricultural difficulties in Soviet Russia which simply illustrate the fact that everybody's pasture is nobody's pasture.

It's time we took a good look at how the growth of government is affecting the title to our own pastures whether they be a farming operation, a business, or a job in a private industry.

The bill for an all-powerful state is paid for in the precious coin of freedom—not just money.

## Vote for \$1.81

THE 77 percent vote of the nation's wheat farmers in favor of marketing quotas is largely a vote in favor of human nature. The simple fact was that the wheat-growers might have something to gain by voting Yes, and would have nothing to lose. Though the incentives to approve controls were not as strong as in the past years, they were still too strong to resist.

In return for their affirmative vote, the farmers will receive no larger acreage limitation than this year, and the lowest price support since 1946, about \$1.81 a bushel, or 76 percent of parity. But the point is that they would have been sure of only \$1.19, or 50 percent parity, if they had voted No.

## Simile

MANY husbands are second story men—their wives seldom believe the first one.

## Grampaw Oakley

FUNKIN CORNERS, June 30.

Editor, The Mercury,  
Dear Sir 'n' Brother:

Wal, I see by The Mercury where swimming at Upper Perkiomen park never was approved by the State. Gosh, you fellows that got "muggies" better give back the water!

When you're picnicking this weekend, you can avoid getting bit by mosquitos by avoiding the females! Experts say only the female mosquito puts the bite on you!

And say: This expert says if you use a repellent, you will smell bad to them and they will stay away. Females are like that!

Hopia! you air the same.

GRAMPAW NED OAKLEY

## READERS SAY:

# Street Too Congested for Drivers' Practice Course

## Danger on North Hanover Street

To the Editor: Isn't it time they stop using North Hanover street as a practice course for drivers?

There was a time when the North End of Pottstown was much less built up than it is now and that wasn't too many years ago. Then, the use of North Hanover street, from East to Prospect streets, for training of drivers was okay.

But not now. The traffic on this street is heavy. During the early morning, noon and early evening hours there is a steady stream of cars on this street. And the drivers, zigzagging between the markers, create a definite traffic hazard.

The police committee of town council should do something about closing this street as a practice driving course. It is a matter of safety.

Pottstown

NORTH END RESIDENT

## Park Rules Flouted

To the Editor: In reference to the letters in Friday's Mercury concerning Montgomery county park:

In order to kill two birds with one stone, so to speak, both letter writers apparently are armchair philosophers.

Let me here and now inform the party who wrote letter No. 1 (Tables More Valuable Than Lives) that professional lifeguards visited the park at one time and, upon speaking with those in authority

The name and complete address of the author must accompany every contribution but on request will not be published. Letters not exceeding 250 words will receive preference.

and surveying the lake and its possibilities, they said lifeguards were worthless.

Between a lifeguard and a drowning victim there may be ten expert swimmers closer.

How many parents who are so "all of a sudden" concerned accompany their children to the park swimming?

The men who patrol the beach get about as much respect from the swimmers as if they weren't there. When the guard blows his whistle at those who are out too far, they pretend they don't hear or see him.

Life to everyone is precious. But since the park's opening in 1940 there have been only five drownings. When one stops to figure this percentage is very low considering the thousands of swimmers in the lake each Summer. Never has one skater been lost.

I wonder how many of those self-made judges have ever sat along the beach and played "guard" for their family. If everyone who went swimming there respected the rules of the park, there wouldn't be any drownings.

Park rules are posted in each area. Jumping from the shoulders of any other swimmer is prohibited. There hadn't been a drowning since 1952—a two-year-old unguarded by the parent. But a paid lifeguard could perform miracles.

If a lifeguard or the present guards dove in every time a head went under, they would be better to rent an under-

water glass bell like on the Steel Pier and they could stay under with eyes peeled. That's the only way protection could be 100 percent.

Don't take the kids to the park and scream, then blame the guards, the commissioners and the county if anything happens.

Green Lane RD. NON-SWIMMER

## Wants Action on 'Eyesore'

To the Editor: What's going to happen to that really bad eyesore at the corner of Walnut and North Franklin streets?

Is it enough that the windows are boarded up?

Don't the people in this neighborhood deserve a better break? Think of what would happen if a fire were started in this building.

The owner of the property should be forced to improve it or sell it.

It is surprising what some people get away with in this town.

Pottstown WALNUT STREETER

## One for the Women

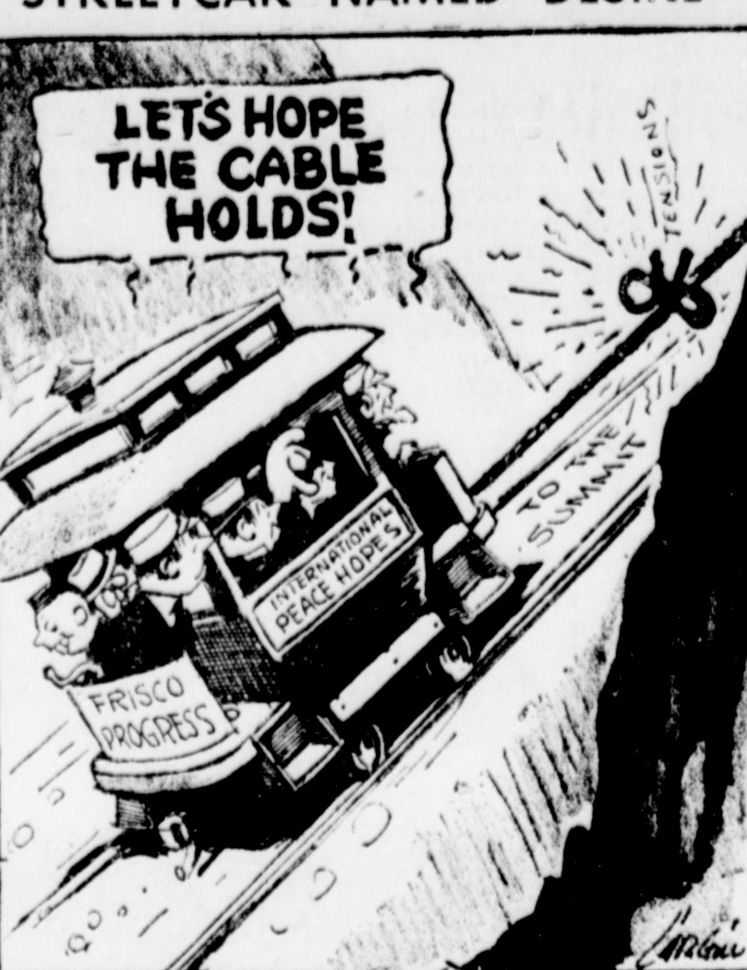
To the Editor: How about the "back seat driver"—a man—getting his wife into an accident?

That clearly proves that women, when they are allowed to use their own common sense, make better drivers than men.

Collegeville RD 1

HEE HAW HELEN

## STREETCAR NAMED DESIRE



## Hollywood

By EDITH GWYN

HOLLYWOOD, June 30 — Linda Darnell and loaded Phil Liebmann (loaded with money, that is!) are due home in Hollywood this week after months of movie-making in Italy.

Old-timers, Gertrude Astor and Minta Durfee (Minta being the widow of Roscoe Arbuckle) get good roles in "Top Gun" with Sterling Hayden and Karen Booth.

Karen is wed to Allen Pinkerton, grandson of the famed private eye. She says there's a deal on to film the life of her late in-law, who founded the Pinkerton Detective agency.

Barbara Nichols, who plays a striptease in "Miracle in the Rain" (with Van Johnson and Jane Wyman) skipped to Sacramento to see her sweetie, Steve Cochran, there filming, "Come Next Spring." Temperature in the valley town where "Spring" is shooting, has been between 94 and 100 for a week and so the company turned on a really colossal "air-conditioner."

Meaning three wind machines of four hundred and fifty horsepower each. They were used to cause a "tornado" for a certain sequence—and with unexpected results. The wind from the machines not only cooled off the actors and the farm set they were using, but destroyed it! The wind also caused a great number of fowl and stock from actual surrounding farms to vamoose—or scatter.

IF JOYCE Holden's lawyers can just find her estranged, Dok Stanford, she'll have him served with the divorce papers.

Patti Andrews is doing o.k. on her own, since leaving her two sisters—if Patti's disc, "Where To, My Love?" is any sample... Wonder what would happen (and we sure hope it never does!) if Martin and Lewis really break up as a team and Jerry Lewis should ever start singing with his own, natural and quite wonderful voice ??? When Jerry's deliberately imitating Dean (or anyone else for that matter) you'd never believe it wasn't the crooner himself.

SPEAKING OF warblers:—most show-business people think Sue Carson's imitation of Lena Horne as done on TV and in clubs, is hilarious but brutal. "There's only one Lena!" say they. The Horne's new record (including "Love Me Or Leave Me") are proving once more how much almost any other songbird you could name has borrowed from Lena in one way or another. All but the talent, in most cases! ... Ran into George Jessel at Mocambo and he says his next book will be tagged, "You, Too Can Make A Speech."

IF JOYCE Holden's lawyers can just find her estranged, Dok Stanford, she'll have him served with the divorce papers.

Patti Andrews is doing o.k. on her own, since leaving her two sisters—if Patti's disc, "Where To, My Love?" is any sample... Wonder what would happen (and we sure hope it never does!) if Martin and Lewis really break up as a team and Jerry Lewis should ever start singing with his own, natural and quite wonderful voice ??? When Jerry's deliberately imitating Dean (or anyone else for that matter) you'd never believe it wasn't the crooner himself.

SPEAKING OF warblers:—most show-business people think Sue Carson's imitation of Lena Horne as done on TV and in clubs, is hilarious but brutal. "There's only one Lena!" say they. The Horne's new record (including "Love Me Or Leave Me") are proving once more how much almost any other songbird you could name has borrowed from Lena in one way or another. All but the talent, in most cases! ... Ran into George Jessel at Mocambo and he says his next book will be tagged, "You, Too Can Make A Speech."

IF JOYCE Holden's lawyers can just find her estranged, Dok Stanford, she'll have him served with the divorce papers.

Patti Andrews is doing o.k. on her own, since leaving her two sisters—if Patti's disc, "Where To, My Love?" is any sample... Wonder what would happen (and we sure hope it never does!) if Martin and Lewis really break up as a team and Jerry Lewis should ever start singing with his own, natural and quite wonderful voice ??? When Jerry's deliberately imitating Dean (or anyone else for that matter) you'd never believe it wasn't the crooner himself.

SPEAKING OF warblers:—most show-business people think Sue Carson's imitation of Lena Horne as done on TV and in clubs, is hilarious but brutal. "There's only one Lena!" say they. The Horne's new record (including "Love Me Or Leave Me") are proving once more how much almost any other songbird you could name has borrowed from Lena in one way or another. All but the talent, in most cases! ... Ran into George Jessel at Mocambo and he says his next book will be tagged, "You, Too Can Make A Speech."

IF JOYCE Holden's lawyers can just find her estranged, Dok Stanford, she'll have him served with the divorce papers.

Patti Andrews is doing o.k. on her own, since leaving her two sisters—if Patti's disc, "Where To, My Love?" is any sample... Wonder what would happen (and we sure hope it never does!) if Martin and Lewis really break up as a team and Jerry Lewis should ever start singing with his own, natural and quite wonderful voice ??? When Jerry's deliberately imitating Dean (or anyone else for that matter) you'd never believe it wasn't the crooner himself.

SPEAKING OF warblers:—most show-business people think Sue Carson's imitation of Lena Horne as done on TV and in clubs, is hilarious but brutal. "There's only one Lena!" say they. The Horne's new record (including "Love Me Or Leave Me") are proving once more how much almost any other songbird you could name has borrowed from Lena in one way or another. All but the talent, in most cases! ... Ran into George Jessel at Mocambo and he says his next book will be tagged, "You, Too Can Make A Speech."

IF JOYCE Holden's lawyers can just find her estranged, Dok Stanford, she'll have him served with the divorce papers.

Patti Andrews is doing o.k. on her own, since leaving her two sisters—if Patti's disc, "Where To, My Love?" is any sample... Wonder what would happen (and we sure hope it never does!) if Martin and Lewis really break up as a team and Jerry Lewis should ever start singing with his own, natural and quite wonderful voice ??? When Jerry's deliberately imitating Dean (or anyone else for that matter) you'd never believe it wasn't the crooner himself.

SPEAKING OF warblers:—most show-business people think Sue Carson's imitation of Lena Horne as done on TV and in clubs, is hilarious but brutal. "There's only one Lena!" say they. The Horne's new record (including "Love Me Or Leave Me") are proving once more how much almost any other songbird you could name has borrowed from Lena in one way or another. All but the talent, in most cases! ... Ran into George Jessel at Mocambo and he says his next book will be tagged, "You, Too Can Make A Speech."

IF JOYCE Holden's lawyers can just find her estranged, Dok Stanford, she'll have him served with the divorce papers.

Patti Andrews is doing o.k. on her own, since leaving her two sisters—if Patti's disc, "Where To, My Love?" is any sample... Wonder what would happen (and we sure hope it never does!) if Martin and Lewis really break up as a team and Jerry Lewis should ever start singing with his own, natural and quite wonderful voice ??? When Jerry's deliberately imitating Dean (or anyone else for that matter) you'd never believe it wasn't the crooner himself.

SPEAKING OF warblers:—most show-business people think Sue Carson's imitation of Lena Horne as done on TV and in clubs, is hilarious but brutal. "There's only one Lena!" say they. The Horne's new record (including "Love Me Or Leave Me") are proving once more how much almost any other songbird you could name has borrowed from Lena in one way or another. All but the talent, in most cases! ... Ran into George Jessel at Mocambo and he says his next book will be tagged, "You, Too Can Make A Speech."

IF JOYCE Holden's lawyers can just find her estranged, Dok Stanford, she'll have him served with the divorce papers.

Patti Andrews is doing o.k. on her own, since leaving her two sisters—if Patti's disc, "Where To, My Love?" is any sample... Wonder what would happen (and we sure hope it never does!) if Martin and Lewis really break up as a team and Jerry Lewis should ever start singing with his own, natural and quite wonderful voice ??? When Jerry's deliberately imitating Dean (or anyone else for that matter) you'd never believe it wasn't the crooner himself.

## How's Your Mind?

THE ANSWER, QUICK!

1. Of what nation is Hussein I the king?

2. What Biblically famous rivers flow through Iraq?

3. What city is a holy city of three great religions?

4. What Indian state's disposition — India or Pakistan — has not yet been definitely decided?

## FOLKS OF FAME—GUESS THE NAME

1. This famous military commander was born in Madison Barracks, New York, May 1, 1896. In 1917 he got his lieutenant's commission upon graduation from West Point. In 1921-24 he was an assistant secretary of war, and then an Army War College instructor. He helped to plan the African invasion, and made a hazardous submarine trip from London for a rendezvous with French officers in Africa. Later he commanded the U. S. Fifth Army in Italy. Now retired, he heads The Citadel, military school. Who is he?

2. He was born May 23, 1884, in Denver, Colo. He was a Colorado School of Mines graduate, but diverted to the stage, and in 1914 he started his motion picture career with D. W. Griffith. Some of his pictures, "The Mark of Zorro," "Robin Hood," "The Black Pirate," "The Gaucho," "The Three Musketeers," "The Thief of Bagdad." He died Dec. 11, 1939. Who was he?

(Names at bottom of column)

## IT HAPPENED TODAY

1863—Battle of Gettysburg begun in American Civil war. 1898—Battle of San Juan Hill in Spanish-American war. 1932—Franklin D. Roosevelt nominated for President by Democrats. 1948—Russians withdrew from Allied Kommandatura, four-power government of Berlin.

WATCH YOUR LANGUAGE  
ENDARCHY — (en-DAR-ki) — noun; government from an inner center of control.

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Actor Charles Laughton shares a birthday today. As do actor James Cagney and author James M. Cain.

## HOW'D YOU MAKE OUT?

1. Jordan.
2. Tigris and Euphrates.
3. Jerusalem. It is holy to Christians, Moslems and Jews.
4. Kashmir's.

PHOTOGRAPHS BY: 1. Gen. Mark Clark 2. Douglas

## ALL AROUND THE TOWN

### Buy Out the Boss...

### Pottstown's Missed...

★ SWITCH—Victor F. Fontana, who five years ago gave up an inspector's job at Doehler's because he "always liked selling," today becomes owner and operator of Kressly's paint store at 408 High street. When Fontana, who lives at Coventry and Brethren church roads, North Coventry, left Doehler's, he took a job as clerk at Kressly's. Yesterday, he bought the business from Thomas W. Kressly, of Douglassville. Kressly, who retains the distributorship of the store's brand of paint, will work for Fontana on a part-time basis. The 32-year-old Fontana worked at Spicer's and Vercara before going to Doehler's. He was born in Stowe, one of six brothers, and his father, Paul Fontana, still lives there at 101 Vine street. Victor, who gardens in his leisure, and his wife, Eleanor, have a son, Steven, 2.

★ SHUNNED—Gosh, are we hurt! Duncan Hines, author of "Adventures in Good Eating," and creator of a list of famous eating places for "discriminating travelers," doesn't list a single Pottstown eating place in his latest listing. Yet there's one in Schwenksville! And only one in Reading! So maybe we aren't hurt! ... One of the sweetest, most courteous voices of gals answering 'phones around town is that of MARY SK-ORA, desk clerk at Pottstown hospital. She's worked for the hospital for several months, is 20 years old, a "brownette" and lives at 1106 Center avenue. Her pleasant voice is refreshing on a tough day. ... TOMMY ZELLERS put a "something old" touch into the construction of his King hotel at the corner of King and North York streets. He'd been saving an antique brass doorplate for years—a fine specimen of metalwork. It's larger than the modern type. So he had it replated in silver and put on the inside of the modern door at the hotel's North York street entrance.

★ INSPIRATION—What's he going to do with that big estate? That's what Pottstown asked when Louis Carlier, Pottstown real estate broker, bought the D. K. Bullens estate, "Hillside Farm," on Laurel hill, North Coventry township. Yesterday Carlier disclosed a portion of his plans. He got an idea when he visited his native France recently, and dined at a restaurant in a former palace overlooking the Loire valley. "I have it," he exclaimed, decided to open a public dining room in the Bullens home. The prospectus on the sale of the Bullens estate said 150 were guests at a dinner there. "So that's where I'll put it," said Carlier.

TOT "PLAYGROUND"—A group of children on Glasgow street, Stowe, have been conducting their own private playground sessions behind the home of MR. AND MRS. MICHAEL KOLVEK, 830 Glasgow street. Fitted out with equipment offered by MRS. DORIS MILLER, 807 Glasgow street, the youngsters set up their chairs and toys in an alley and occupy their morning hours in make-believe and handcraft. Mrs. Miller, who formerly worked as a playground supervisor in Phoenixville, said that the children spend part of their time making table decorations and molding objects from clay. Yesterday, before the hot sun chased them indoors, Mrs. Miller's two daughters took part in the fun. The others were BARRY and DOROTHY KOLVEK; BILLY WERSLER, son of MR. AND MRS. WILLIAM WERSLER, Elm and Glasgow streets; and LINDA FOCHT, daughter of MR. AND MRS. HARVEY FOCHT, Elm street.

★ RECOVERING — Mrs. Charles W. Rhoads, 256 King street, is convalescing at home after breaking a heel bone in her right foot the past Saturday. She broke the bone when she missed a step on her back porch. ... Navy Lieut. (j.g.) Richard O. Keim, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold B. Keim, 32 Beech street, reported early this month for duty aboard the attack aircraft carrier USS Tarawa, which is operating with Air Anti-Submarine Squadron 31 in the Caribbean area. ... GIVE AWAY DEPT.—Mixed breed, six-months-old, short-haired, male dog, Mrs. Kathryn Wampole, 408 Cherry street, 'phone 7225.

## YOUR HEALTH

By HERMAN N. BUNDESEN, M.D.

NEW drugs and new techniques are constantly being developed as science goes forward in its fight against disease and pain. Among the latest developments are:

Meticorten—a new synthetic adrenal steroid which reportedly is more effective than cortisone in treatment of rheumatic fever, rheumatoid arthritis, nephrosis, severe asthma as well as other allergies.

It's estimated that this drug is from three to five times more effective than cortisone and hydrocortisone and produces fewer undesirable side effects.

It can be taken orally in the form of small white tablets, each of which contains 5 mg. of the synthetic chemical, metacortracin.

Monobenzyler of hydroquinone—a new drug which is said to be effective in removing excessive pigmentation of the skin seen in chloasma hepaticum, or liver spots.

New techniques include: Use of a sodium and phosphate mixture and a disposable "portable enema" unit is reported helpful in preparing quickly for examination of cancer clinic patients.

The mixture, according to Dr. Joseph M. Gross of Beth El Hospital's cancer detection center, provides the careful cleansing such an examination requires.

He described the portable containers as "plastic disposable squeeze bottles with foolproof tops."

Three dentists have revealed a new plastic material for filling cavities which may mean less pain from the dentist's drill.

# The Voice of Broadway

By DOROTHY KILGALLEN

## Gossip in Gotham

ONE OF THE TV NETWORKS is quietly plotting to revive Orson Welles as the wonder boy of the age—negotiating to make him its No. 1 producer-writer-director-star with complete freedom to create his own video colossals.

The salary is reportedly "enormous" ... Intimates say dress designer Jeanne Adler, an attractive blonde, is the reason why the Edward G. Robinson Sr. didn't effect a reconciliation ... Margaret O'Brien's favorite beau is Hal Belcher of the 20th-Fox lot.

French singer Georges Ulmer, a smash at Mexico City's Del Prado, is making his hit the hard way. He suffers so from the high altitude that he goes into an oxygen tent at the end of every performance and doesn't come out until it's time to do his act again ... Mary Roblee appears to be The Girl in Tyrone Power's life, but Eva Gabor doesn't intend to give up without a struggle.

JACQUELINE COCHRAN's pals soon will be getting postcards from such exotic places as Ngorongoro Crater, Banagi Hill and Kilimanjaro. The air-pioneering wife of industrialist Floyd Odlum is on her African safari with Fleeta Cocke, wife of TWA's vice president, Oz Cocke.

Danny Kaye and Sir Laurence Olivier are the subject of a show biz buzz that started when they co-starred in a Noel Coward comedy skit at a big London Palladium benefit a few nights ago. Danny and Sir Larry got along so well as a team

that they were talking of doing either a movie or a play together in 1956 ... Bob Burns, the Arkansas Traveler, is gravely ill.

FRENCHMEN CRUISING the Bois de Boulogne restaurant where Robert Mitchum breakfasts almost every noontime are fascinated by his unvarying menu: black coffee and champagne ... Romantic duo at the Spindletop: Horace Schmidlapp (Carole Landis' widower) and redheaded Claire Kelly, ex-wife of comedian George DeWitt ... Obviously Steig, the noted cartoonist, is no aficionado of le jazz cool. His sketch illustrating a new Lester Young album ("Lester Leaps In") shows a little cat—feline type, not hipster—strutting along with a trumpet under its arm. (Golly, Myrtle, even Liberace knows The Pres plays tenor sax!)

High ranking Republicans are elatedly passing on the word that they're "positive" Ike will run again. He's beginning to enjoy the White House job, they say, feels less pressure now than when he first took over, and realizes he's virtually unbeatable.

Kaye Ballard may now add her name to the long illustrious list of people who have been asked to leave a Cecil B. DeMille set. The Great Master spotted her whispering between shots of "The Ten Commandments" and suddenly announced over the mike that it was a "closed" set.

The Aga Khan gave his Begum and entourage a scare the other night at the Paris Opera while Lily Pons was singing in "Rigoletto." He started to faint and had to be taken out for medical aid, but an hour later doctors reassured the group that the aged potentate merely had been overcome by the heat ... It's all over with Lee Engel and Janis Paige. He's off to Rome to join Doe-Avedon.

## The Worry Clinic

By DR. GEORGE W. CRANE

JERRY J., aged 25, is a talented newspaper reporter.

"Dr. Crane, you mentioned that toddlers are restricted in their imagination," he said with a smile.

"I have a little boy who also hides his head under a pillow and then thinks we cannot see him.

"But my publisher doesn't have a very elastic imagination, either, yet he is a brilliant man with college education and certainly must have a very high I.Q.

"Yet he can't seem to realize that our newspaper readers don't see things through his eyes.

"BEING about 65, he is naturally interested in political columns and heavy editorials along that line.

"And he evaluates all new features from his own standpoint. If he doesn't like them, he believes the public doesn't like them, either.

"So isn't it possible for a brilliant adult to become rather inelastic in his thinking?"

Yes, many brilliant adults have one-way minds. They look out upon life from their own viewpoint, but apparently can't conceive of how the public looks back upon them.

Sometimes they are very boring in conversation or on the speaker, platform, too, and may have no sense of humor.

Ask them some of the current riddles, and they try to put a serious scientific implication upon what you intended as humor.

"What is an atheist?" is one of the recent popular queries.

"It's a person who can watch a football game between Notre Dame and Southern Methodist, without caring which side wins!"

"I don't get the point," replies the one-track minder. "Why should that



**HERE'S PROOF YOU CAN SHOP at LEVITZ and SAVE**

# KROEHLER

**+ 100% NYLON**

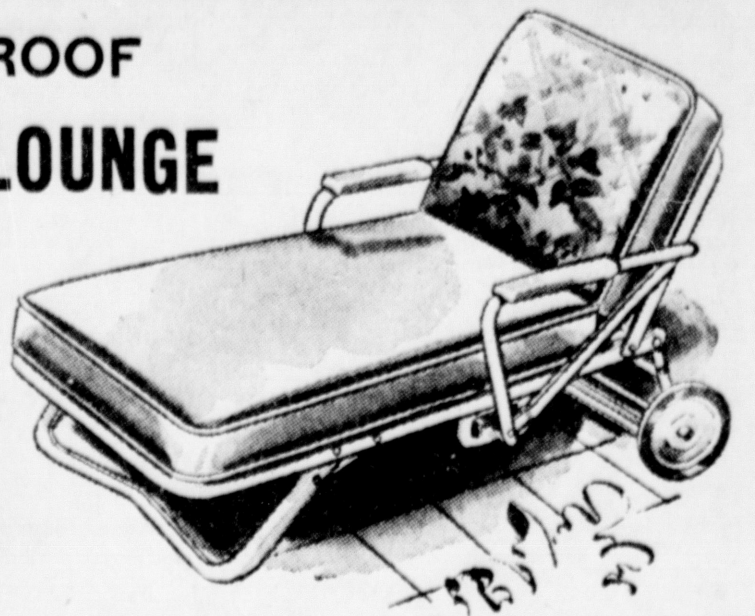
**+ FOAM RUBBER**

**AUTOMATIC - WATERPROOF  
INNERSPRING CHAISE LOUNGE**

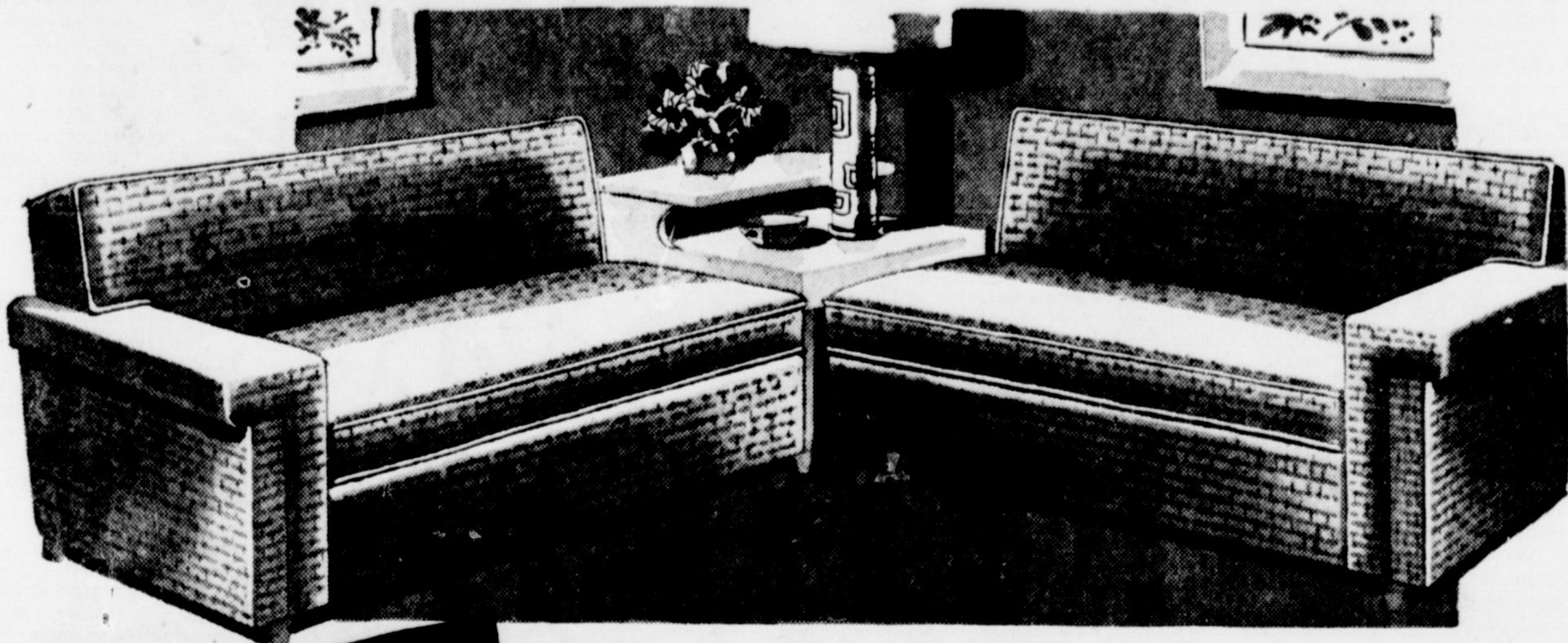
Regular  
\$37.95

**NOW  
ONLY . . . .**

**\$19**



**BIG SAVINGS ON ALL OUTDOOR FURNITURE**



**YOUR  
CHOICE**

**TWIN SECTIONAL LIVING ROOM  
OR  
2 PIECE LIVING ROOM SUITE**

**\$199**

**ONLY \$10 DELIVERS!**



SAVE EXACTLY \$61 . . . regular \$259 values. Your choice of famous KROEHLER 2-piece sectional living room suite or 2-piece regular living room suite. It has been a long time since we have been able to make an offer like this. **SOLID FOAM RUBBER CUSHIONS . . . and 100% NYLON . . .** truly a remarkable value and one you can well afford!

**Big Trade-In Allowance  
For Your Old Suite!**

**FOAM RUBBER**

Cushions are of foam rubber for incredibly soft yet relaxing support, guaranteed to give you lasting comfort!

**100% NYLON**

100% nylon, the wonder fabric, that wears longer, resists fading, moths, mildew and flames . . . cleans with soap and water!

**LIMED OAK, GLASS TOP  
TABLES**



Regularly \$9.95

**Your Choice**

**\$5<sup>88</sup>**



**10 Pc. MAPLE BEDROOM**

Reg. \$149 Value

Finely constructed of selected hardwood in authentic Colonial design, and hand rubbed to a glowing mellow maple finish. Included is the Dresser, Chest, Bed, Simmons Coil Spring Mattress, 2 Pillows, Boudoir Lamp and 2 Pictures.

**\$99**

**\$5 DOWN**

**\$5 A MONTH**

**ALL STEEL FOLDING  
SHOPPER STROLLER**

Reg. \$9.95 **\$5<sup>88</sup>**

NOW ONLY . . .

**NO MONEY DOWN!**



**BEACH or LAWN  
UMBRELLA**

Reg. \$12.95 **\$6**

NOW ONLY . . . .

**CHARGE-IT!**

**SLEEP NEEDS FOR HOLIDAY GUESTS**

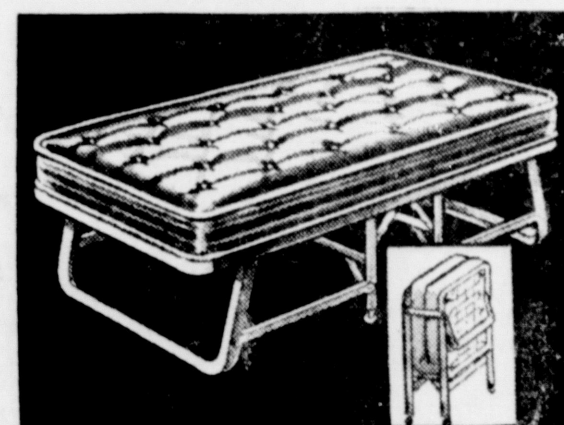
*Delivery In Time For July 4th! Open a Levitz Charge!*

**Day and Night  
SLEEP SOFA**

A truly sensational bargain for those who need extra sleeping room . . . Converts into a comfortable bed by merely moving the back.

Reg. \$49.95

**\$29<sup>88</sup>**



**\$59.95 MODERN  
CHAIR BED**

Famous Simmons quality . . . easily opens into a comfortable bed for that last minute guest . . . innerspring construction throughout.

**ONLY \$1 WEEKLY!**

**\$39<sup>88</sup>**

**\$24.95 SIMMONS  
FOLDING COT**

"Simmons" all steel spring that folds compactly for easy storage . . . Complete with a Comfortable pad.

**NO MONEY DOWN**

**\$16<sup>88</sup>**

**MODERN CHAIR HIDES BED!**



**Complete HOLLYWOOD BED**



Full Innerspring Mattress with heavy hotel type ACA ticking complete with matching coil box-spring on legs with washable plastic headboard.

Reg. \$69.95 **\$49<sup>88</sup>**

**GUARANTEED DELIVERIES IN TIME FOR JULY 4th**

**LEVITZ FURNITURE VALUES ON EASY TERMS**



## Do You Remember?

Those grand old days when Pottstown and area was in its infancy—Here's another photo that my recapture a few moments of eternity for you, a picture to stir your memory and let you catch a glimpse of the past.



Twenty years ago, these pupils made up the Third grade of the Lower Pottsgrove elementary school. Their smiling teacher, Edith VanBuskirk, is standing at the right in the second row. Appearing on the picture are, first row, left to right, Stella Kozak, Violet Schaeffer, Virginia Lightcap, Mildred Longacre, Mary Leighton, Anna Koval, Jean Radcliffe, Thelma Blair, Myrtle

Miller, Irene Miller and Virginia Stephenson; second row, Joseph Matchucus, unknown, Robert Caludis, Maurice Weidenbaugh, Ralph Grebe, Carl Oister and John Lewis; third row, Henry Kuterbach, Leroy Updegrave, Richard Davidheiser, Eugene Orlando, Kenneth Schaeffer, Stanley Sitko, Leonard Levensgood, John Pekota, Robert Parker, David Oxenford and Charles Hoffman.

## Donald L. Fisher Feted on Birthday At Outdoor Party

EVANSBURG — Mrs. Donald Yerkes, corr., Phone Schwenksville 9103, Del., Phone Pottstown 6000.

Donald Fisher Jr. was nine years old on June 28. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Fisher, of Germantown pike, entertained with a party in his honor.

An outdoor luncheon and games and contests were held during the afternoon.

Attending were Barbara Bean, Suzanne Houpt, Betty Irvin, Judy Woodland, Debbie Danvers, Nancy Fisher, MacNeal Lowrie, Glenn Loos, Robert Lindsay, David Minnick, Harvey Leshner, Tommy Hara-czka, Eric Scatchard, Stroud Maris and the honor guest, The Fishers were assisted in entertaining by Mrs. Wilbur Loos and Mrs. Winfield Woodland.

Mrs. Henry Hartz is a surgical patient this week at Memorial hospital, Pottstown.

MR. AND MRS. Frank Hoagland are entertaining for several days this week Mrs. Hoagland's mother, Mrs. B. Shoppe of Ocean City, N. J.

On Monday evening Mrs. Hoagland and her sister-in-law, Helen Hoagland, were among the guests at a party held at the home of Mrs. Enos Rich in Erdenheim.

Jean Herr, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Herr of Level road, won the American Legion Award presented to an Eighth grade student at Rittenhouse Junior High school in Norristown at graduation exercises held last Wednesday.

Her brother, Richard, who was a member of the graduating class, received the ward for outstanding service to the school and was asked to sign the honor book.

Both young persons have been in the school for less than two terms, coming here from the Lancaster schools.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Myers of Lancaster were the weekend guests of the Mark Herr family. They attended the annual services in the Old Trappe Church on Sunday.

On Sunday B. Ross Yerkes accompanied his son and his family, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Yerkes and sons of Spring Mount, to the Fox family reunion in Summerville.

## Burma Prime Minister Walks Out on Benson

WASHINGTON, June 30 (AP) — Prime Minister U Nu of Burma walked out on Secretary of Agriculture Benson today in a calm but pointed rebuke because he had been kept standing in an anteroom for five minutes.

The international incident left State department protocol officials a bit agast. They felt somebody had fumbled and omitted the diplomatic niceties due a visiting chief of government.

## PTA Group Hold First Meeting

EVANSBURG — Mrs. Donald Yerkes, corr., Phone Schwenksville 9103, Del., Phone Pottstown 6000.

The Ways and Means committee of Henry K. Boyer school PTA held its first meeting last Wednesday evening at the home of the committee chairman, Mrs. Samuel Sproul, Evansburg road.

Plans for the fund-raising activities of the organization for the coming year were discussed by the following committee members present: Mrs. Paul Kramer, Mrs. Robert Lindsay, Mrs. Lawson Earl, Mrs. Roland Rabuck, Mrs. Paul Werkheiser, Mrs. Stanford Kock and the hosts.

The Rev. Edward Platts was back in the pulpit of St. James Episcopal church on Sunday to conduct the annual "Family Sunday" service, after an illness of some time.

Mrs. James Irvin is a patient at Montgomery hospital this week.

MR. AND MRS. Charles Johnson and daughter moved from their residence on Mill road to their new location on Sunset road, Limerick township. The new owners of their Mill road property are Mr. and Mrs. James W. Jordan and family, who moved here on Wednesday from Moorestown, N. J.

Twenty-eight young people, members of the Christian Youth Club, held an outdoor meeting on Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Craig Pierce of Cross Keys road. The evening's activities included games, singing, an inspirational message from Jacob Ruth

## Ambulance Group Holds Meeting

Lower Providence Community Ambulance association held its monthly meeting at Trooper school on June 27. The meeting was called to order by the acting president Joseph Ceruti, after which the Rev. Wesborne Rowland, Lower Providence Presbyterian church, of Trooper, offered prayer.

Officers for the ensuing year were elected by secret ballot. The following officers are: Joseph Ceruti, president; M. G. Eastman, vice president; Mrs. Margaret Love, secretary, and Alttwood Cassel, treasurer.

Board of directors: Audubon section, Mrs. Harold F. Tyson, Herbert Kenegiser, Mrs. Gerald Horan; Eagleville section, Jack Freed, Jack Cappare, Charles Beattie.

Evansburg section, Mrs. Robert Lindsey, Mrs. Harry Kulp, Walter Zawlick; Trooper section, Anthony Pasquale, Alfred Hohlfield, Francis Rumpf.

THE AMBULANCE group was given a respirator by Lower Providence township, which has already been used.

Membership in the ambulance service is approximately 500 persons. The next monthly meeting will be July 25, at Trooper school.

## Evansburg Couple Attends Reunion In Conshohocken

EVANSBURG — Mrs. Donald Yerkes, corr., Phone Schwenksville 9103, Del., Phone Pottstown 6000.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lock attended the 25th anniversary of the class of 1930 of Conshohocken High school of which Mrs. Lock was a member.

The affair was a dinner on Saturday evening held at the Valley Forge hotel in Norristown and was attended by over 50 persons. On Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Lock and their family attended the Lentz family reunion held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Fetter of Cold Point.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Wells and family were Saturday evening guests of Dr. and Mrs. B. G. Musser of Wayne. Mrs. Wells' mother, Mrs. I. E. Shoop of Elizabethtown, is spending a week with the family.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Lawrence of Hill road, entertained at dinner on Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Leshner and Verda and Harvey. The birthday anniversary of Harvey Leshner was celebrated.

ON MONDAY Harvey Leshner was the honor guest at a picnic luncheon given by his parents in celebration of his eleventh birthday on June 27. Harvey's guests included Eric, Brian and Barry Scatchard, Sue and Kathy Houpt, Nancy and Donald Fisher and Verda Leshner all of Evansburg, and Ralph Zollers, of Trappe.

Linda Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. Wesley Smith, as entertaining at her houseguest this week Marian Newberry of Roxborough. The Smiths were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Blanck of Broomall on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Ruff celebrated their fifteenth wedding anniversary on June 22 and Mrs. Ruff's birthday on June 24. On Wednesday evening they entertained at dinner Mr. and Mrs. John Auchmuty and Patty Corniak, all of Collegeville, and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Auchmuty of Rahns. On Saturday evening their dinner guests were Mr. and Mrs. George Skilton and Mr. and Mrs. Victor Poplars and family all of Penn drive, Rahns.

## Oldtimer Annoyed, By Uranium Hunters

CARRIZO, N. M., June 30 (AP) — Uranium prospectors are getting in the hair of at least one oldtimer here.

He recently wrote the Lincoln County News he had paid taxes on his homestead for more than 30 years. "Received patent from the U. S. Government in 1921. There was no demand for this land at that time. I fenced the land and built tanks for stock water. Now the uranium hunters have taken my place over, bulldozed holes all over the place and spooked the cattle away from water tanks. Just what can the poor homesteader expect from good old Uncle Sam?"

(Modern homesteaders acquire only surface right to their land.)

Telephone 6000 with your news-tips.

**VIC'S FURNITURE HOUSE** 966 HIGH ST. Phone 5483  
FACTORY REPRESENTATIVE  
Choice Furniture for Less

**HANDYMEN! ACT NOW!**

**It's Home Repair Time**

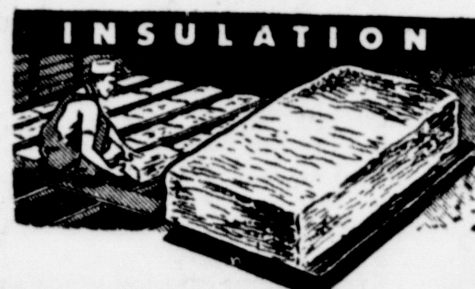
**EVERYTHING YOU NEED**

We stock everything needed for home repairs! There is no need to shop from place to place. Everything is here under one roof, and at reasonable prices too!



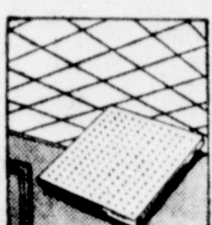
**BEVELED SIDING**

Replace your old, worn-out siding with new beveled siding. Adds both beauty and value to your home. . . . . **28c** SQ. FT.



**INSULATION**

Keep out summer heat, keep in winter heat, with efficient insulation. Be comfortable in summer, save money in winter. **8c** SQ. FT.



**CEILING TILE**

Cover unsightly, cracked ceilings with easily-applied ceiling tile. Sq. Ft. . . . . **12c**



**ALUMINUM OG GUTTER**

No Up Keep Cost  
Per 10 ft. Section . . . **\$3.40**



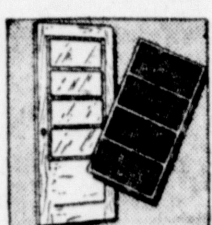
**FOLDING DOORS**

Make more space in your rooms with attractive folding doors. Easily installed. As little as **\$23.50** each



**ROOFING**

Replace that old, worn-out roof with a new sound one. Best grade asphalt shingles in varying designs. As little as **\$2.50** bundle



**Combination Door**

Replace old doors with new combination screen and storm doors. Will add much to value of your home.



**LAWN FENCE**

42" or 36" Also Flower Border Height



**CEMENT**

Per Bag at Yard **\$1.25**

**ALSO IN STOCK**  
MILLWORK  
HARDWARE  
WINDOWS  
WIRE SCREEN  
PAINT  
TOOLS

**SAYLOR'S Lumber Co.** Since 1889  
820 CROSS ST. POTTSTOWN 299

**Acme Super Markets**

Owned and Operated by American Stores Co.

This week all our markets will be  
**OPEN LATE THURS. & FRI. NIGHTS**  
SHOP EARLY FOR YOUR JULY 4th NEEDS

**Hooray for the FOURTH!**

and your favorite

**LEHIGH VALLEY ICE CREAM**

At a special holiday price!

**79c** Half Gallon

2 Pint Pkgs. **49c**

Be sure to have plenty of this delicious cool-off refreshment for over the Fourth! An extra good treat—at such a tempting low price! Serve up heaping dishes—and listen to the cheers! Luscious flavors: rich vanilla, chocolate, and true-fruit flavors.

**LEHIGH VALLEY SHERBET**

Orange Flavor  
2 Pint Pkgs. **45c**

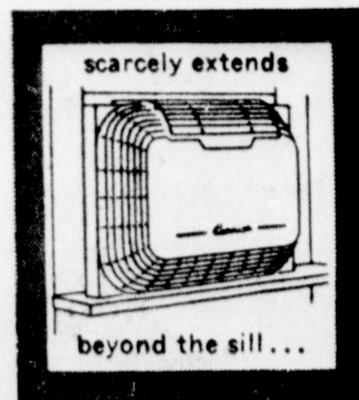


Prices effective in our Lehigh Markets

**WHERE QUALITY COUNTS AND YOUR MONEY GOES FURTHEST!**

**NEW inside and out**  
**THE BRILLIANT NEW Carrier WEATHERMAKER**

Built by the leaders in air conditioning—the men who know it best. Call today for complete information.



**BUILDERS EQUIPMENT & SUPPLY CO., Inc.**  
113 S. HANOVER ST. — Ph. 4212



GET WHAT YOU  
NEED TODAY  
FOR A GO-AWAY

# Gala 4<sup>th</sup> of July Celebration

CLOSED MONDAY IN CELEBRATION OF OUR NATIONAL BIRTHDAY

ENTIRE STORE HEALTHFULLY AIR-CONDITIONED FOR YOUR SHOPPING PLEASURE

SHOP TODAY  
9:30 TILL 5  
Saturday 9:30-5:30



Our Own  
"Nan Noble"  
CHROMSPUN  
LASTEX  
SWIM  
SUITS  
8.95

Made by ANNIS in one-piece  
style with front shirring and up-  
lift bra. Black, red, pink, lilac,  
aqua. Colorfast. Sizes 32 to 38.

Main Floor

REAL HONEY'S FOR THE MONEY!

SO LOW  
IN PRICE,  
YOU'LL WANT  
SEVERAL PAIR!

1.97



Sizes  
4 to 9  
Reg. 2.99

Main Floor

- FROSTY WHITES  
and colors too!
- Attractive cutouts  
for cool comfort.
- Soft, flexible  
leather vamps

Summer  
Debut of  
Dark Dresses  
10.95

Transitional Cottons in Sizes  
7 to 15, 12 to 20, 14 1/2 to 22 1/2

BLACK  
BROWN  
GREY  
CHARCOAL

Dark toned cotton broadcloth for  
summer—through fall flattery, prettily  
spiced with white. Washable won-  
ders cut for freedom, styled for  
fashion.

Main Floor

JOIN THE "PANTS BRIGADE!"  
THE LONG AND SHORT OF THE NEW FASHION

- |   |  |   |
|---|--|---|
| <b>A —</b><br>SHORTS—Cotton twill and gabardine with or without belt; navy, black, green, maize, khaki and white. Sizes 10 to 20.<br>2.95 to 4.95 | <b>B —</b><br>BERMUDA SHORTS—Gabardine, twill, cord and seersucker in plaids of black, white, pink, green, red, navy, khaki. 10 to 20.<br>2.95 to 4.95 | <b>C —</b><br>PEDAL PUSHERS—Cord seersucker, twill or gabardine in pink, blue, navy, red, khaki, black. 10 to 20.<br>2.95 to 4.95 |
|---|--|---|

Main Floor



Special Purchase... NEW  
IMPORTED BLOUSES  
by "Town and Country"

1.00

Woven imported gingham checks and  
broadcloths in white and colors. Sleeve-  
less model with yoke pleat back. Guarant-  
eed washable. Sizes 32 to 38. To look  
and feel ice cube cool.

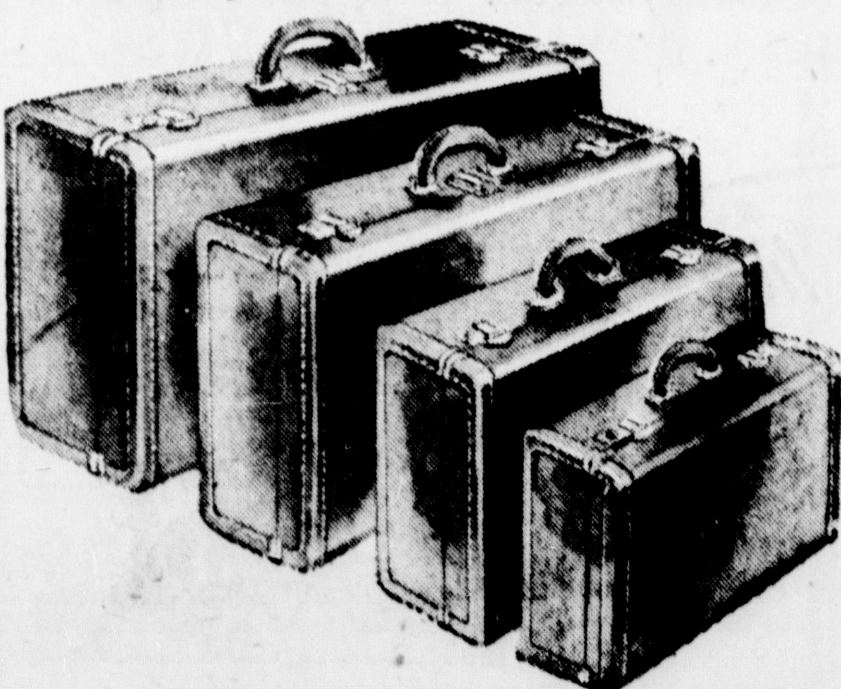
SIZES 32 TO 38

Main Floor

Travel Fashion-right with  
**RUGGED  
LUGGAGE**

- |                     |       |
|---------------------|-------|
| 18" Weekender . . . | 5.98  |
| 21" " . . .         | 6.98  |
| 26" PULLMAN . . .   | 12.98 |
| 29" " . . .         | 14.98 |

Priced to Give Your Vacation  
a Thrifty Start



Downstairs

Sale!

Our Entire Stock of  
2.49 PRINTED



BEACH  
TOWELS

1.99

Large 36x68" Size

5 PATTERNS:

- Cleo
- Seashore
- Woodland
- Pelicans
- Buccaneer

For service on the surf, as a  
mat or protective cover  
against chill. Gayly colored  
patterns; all first quality.

Downstairs

BANK ON THIS  
**BABY CHECK**  
JACKET SUNDRESS



Regular  
5.95  
Value

Wayne Maid

This will pay you compliments galore.  
A figure flattering jacket sundress that  
will be endorsed by looks of admiration.  
Gay, smooth, smart, this scoop necked  
sundress, with a free flowing skirt has  
a self-sleeved matching jacket that is  
distinguished by the quiet Patrician ele-  
gance of the bias cut self trim.

Downstairs

Unbelievable priced at

3.98

Washes beautifully! In  
black and white, pink  
and white and ter-  
quoise and white. Sizes  
12/20 and 14 1/2/22 1/2.  
Order yours today.

DARK  
COTTONS  
iced with white  
by "Modern Classics"

5.94  
EACH

STYLE A has a cuffed sleeveless  
shoulder; pin-wheel lace trim and  
collarless. Sizes 10 to 18.

STYLE B is beautiful with  
white pique ric rac trim;  
scoop neck and no sleeves.  
Misses' 12 to 20, women's  
14 1/2 to 22 1/2.

Solid Colors:

- BLACK
- CHARCOAL  
GREY
- CHARCOAL  
BROWN

Crease-resistant  
POPLIN

Downstairs



Sale! DISCONTINUED STYLE  
LONG, STRAPLESS

BRAS

Special Purchase!

2.00

Regular 5.00 Value!

White or black rayon satin with nylon lace trim  
and wired strapless for bare shoulder fashions.  
Plunging neckline. 32 to 42 in B and C cups.

Main Floor





Pottstown's Finest

Hope for the future lies in Pottstown schools. The Mercury is publishing pictures of Pottstown's finest, the children in our schools. Every day a new room of school children will be shown here. Save the series, and enjoy them anew in future years.



These pupils were in the Ninth grade this past term of Pottstown junior high school. Virginia J. Reese, to the right of the second row, was their home room teacher. Appearing on the picture are, first row, left to right, Eugene Szafas, Martha Donahue, Yvonne Moerd, Judith McClennen, Penny Fleming, Mary Frances Whitehead; second row, Andrew Hospador, Beverly Mest, Elizabeth Keps, Cynthia Xanthopoulos, Barbara Drippe, and Miss Reese; third row, Harold Hoffman, Barbara Johnson, Dorothy McNeal, Diane Richard, Barbara Bittig, Diane Daylor and Barbara Buchert; fourth row, Joan Russell, David Miller, Joseph Zoll, Joan Calleen, Suzanne Keller and Marilyn Badgley; fifth row, Robert Whitman, David Beekley, Herbert Barndt, Thomas Yocom and Lawrence Tobias; sixth row, Jean Neff, Marguerite Boone, Nancy Wilson, Rebecca Hallman, Lowry Burgess, Richard Weaver and Harry Royer.

Christian Mothers Club Conducts Meeting; Admits Two New Members

TRAPPE—Mrs. Donald Yerkes, corr., Phone Schwenksville 9101, Wm. Brower, Del., Phone Collegeville 5477, Perry Kratz, Del., Phone Collegeville 7040.

The Christian Mothers club, at its June meeting last Wednesday evening, welcomed two new members, Mrs. John Cleaver Jr. and Mrs. Ralph Pennepacker, and three guests, Mrs. George McCluen, Mrs. Carrie McCluen and Mrs. Arlene Kirby.

Mrs. Edwin Anderson presented the devotion for the evening and Mrs. Robert Ward, Mrs. Fred Wagner and Mrs. Raymond Rohe were the hostesses. During the business meeting, conducted by Mrs. Jacob Bowman, Tuesday, July 12, was set as the prayer meeting date at the Missionary Cottage.

Plans were also made for a discussion of problems which members of the club feel may be helpful to them as mothers, at the July meeting, and questions are to be submitted to the president prior to the meeting.

During the social hour the 28 members present enjoyed listening to a tape recording of the program presented at the "Father's Night" entertainment.

MR. AND MRS. George R. McCleary and family of Black Rock road enjoyed a four-day motor trip last week to Niagara Falls and Canada.

Mrs. Frank Mullican, of Third avenue, spent a couple of days this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Mansa in Coatesville.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Miller, of East Seventh avenue, celebrated their nineteenth wedding anniversary on Sunday.

Red Hill Family Visits in Salford

SALFORD—Mrs. Charles Force, corr., Linwood Remington, del. Phone Boyertown 7-6328.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Harpel and daughter of Red Hill spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Landis. Mrs. Harpel and Mrs. Landis celebrated their birthdays.

Mrs. Alice Haldeman of Lansdale visited Mrs. L. H. Albright on Sunday.

Mrs. Margaret Myers and daughters of Lancaster have moved into one of the Sinclair cabins for the summer season.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorraine Sinclair of Norristown are occupying their cottage for the summer.

James Hannigan who spent the

past two weeks vacationing has returned to his work in Philadelphia this week.

Charles Gardner Sr., is on vacation this week.

Mrs. William Stinson and children of Glenside and Mrs. Kern Reiman and children of Bethlehem spent Thursday with the Gardner family.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Force and Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Bergey visited Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Keyser in Camden, N. J. on Sunday.

BILLY CROUTHAMEL of Souderton spent several days of the past week camping on his grandfather's farm, Mr. H. W. Walters. Carlton Force returned home after spending a week at Camp Swatara at Bethel where he served as counselor and life guard.

Mrs. Arilla Anderson of Williamsport is spending sometime with Mrs. Della Wertz and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Baker.

ACTRESS HURT IN FALL  
SANTA MONICA, Calif., June 30.—Actress Barbara Stanwyck suffered a torn ligament and severe bruises in the sacroiliac region in a fall at her home, her physician said today.

Czechs Who Fled Reds Can Stay in U. S.

WASHINGTON, June 30.—President Eisenhower has signed into law bills permitting two Czechs, who fled their Communist country in a dramatic plane ride, to live in the United States.

The pair—Antonin Volejnick, 31, and Bohumil Suran, 47—were among the passengers who commandeered a Czech plane flying from Prague to Brno, their home town, and flew to West Germany March 23, 1953. There they asked political asylum.

Open Late Tonight—  
Open All Day  
Saturday  
Sunday and  
Monday  
'Til 6 P. M.  
For Your Holiday  
Picnic  
Needs

**Drumheller's FOOD MART**  
free parking  
Charlotte and Prospect Sts.

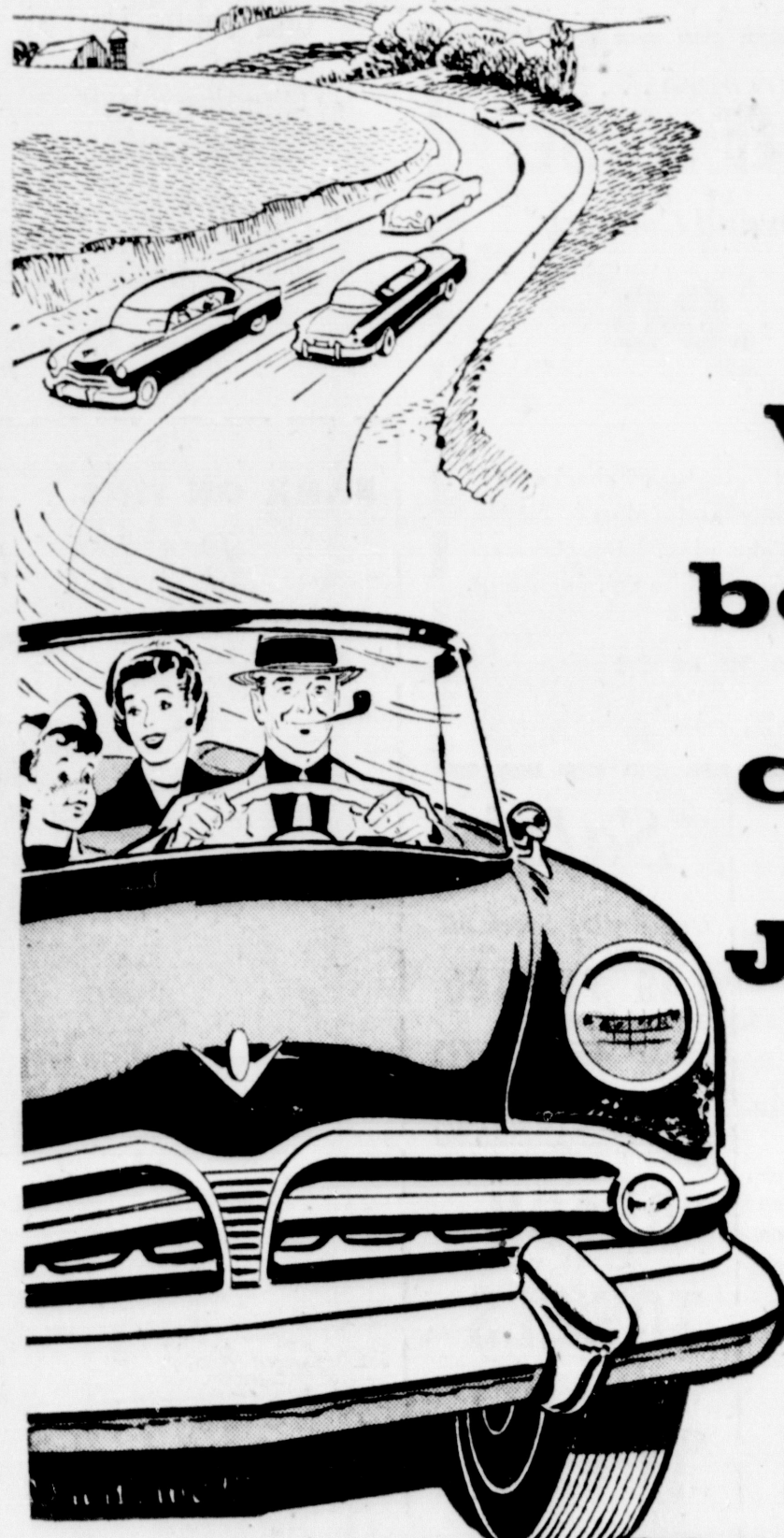
**HOLIDAY WEEKEND Special**

STURDY HARDWOOD FOLDING  
**CAMP COT \$5.95**  
covered with heavy canvas  
REGULAR \$9.95 SPECIAL

DRIVE SAFELY FOR A SAFE 4th of July CAREFUL DRIVERS ARE CAREFREE DRIVERS BE SAFE... Not Sorry And Alive on the 5th!

The Life You Save Will Be Your Own

**KEPNER & ROMICH**  
YOUR FAMILY FURNITURE STORE  
139 HIGH ST. PHONE 877



will you be alive to celebrate July 5th ?

Think of the other fellow and his family when you drive crowded highways over the holiday week end.

Slow down and live

**COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA**  
"The Safe Driver State"

George M. Leader, Governor Gerald A. Gleason, Secretary of Revenue

New Evangelical Pastor To Be Installed July 10

The Rev. Raymond D. Groff, Telford, will be installed as new

pastor of the Old Goshenhoppen Evangelical and Reformed, Trumbauerville. The Rev. Groff was elected to replace the Rev. Robert A. Haas. He is a graduate of Muhlenberg college and Lancaster seminary.

**FEGELY'S** and G. E. BRING YOU  
New lightweight TV...  
the most useful TV ever!

**GE TV**

HERE'S tomorrow's TV today! Actually one-third smaller and less expensive than any other of its type. You'll want one with you wherever you travel... indoors or out. Now G-E TV goes where you go!

Model 14T007

• World's lightest weight... lowest cost for truly portable television. Features rugged, built-to-travel cabinet, built-in antenna, two-way interference protection. Ask to see Model 14T007 in cordovan finish. **\$99.95**

Model 14T008

• Styled in the modern manner. Here's G.E.'s 2-tone line of portables in gray and ivory (Model 14T008) or terra cotta and ivory (Model 14T009). Center handle of lightweight aluminum. Dynapower speaker. Your color choice of 14-inch TV at one low price. **\$119.95**

Take it to the patio. To the 'sick room'. To the kitchen or laundry. Take it on trips.

**OPEN 'TIL 9 TONIGHT**  
**PLENTY OF FREE PARKING**  
**Phone 3525 34 HIGH STREET**



## LOCAL HOSPITAL RECEIVES FULL ACCREDITATION

Memorial hospital was notified yesterday that it has received full accreditation from a joint commission of the country's four leading medical groups.

Albert P. Pollick, hospital administrator, said the hospital thereby raised its status from provisional accreditation, the rating received in a survey two years ago when it was in the process of reorganizing its staff and constructing the south wing of the building.

Pottstown hospital is fully accredited.

Memorial's full accreditation was made on the basis of a survey made there the past May 15 by James W. Nelson, a field representative of the joint commission of the American College of Physicians, the American College of Surgeons, the American Hospital Association and the American Medical Association.

IN HIS SURVEY, Nelson inspected the hospital's facilities and made a study of its records, with emphasis on the organization of the medical staff.

Inspection of the building included such things as fire protection, emergency lighting and the adequacy of diagnostic and therapeutic facilities.

The hospital soon will receive a certificate citing its full accreditation, Pollick said.

## BETHLEHEM —

(Continued From Page One)

ident of the Pottstown local, was in charge.

He gave instructions to several union men who were working inside the plant to notify workers at midnight that they were to walk out.

One union source said there were only about 100 to 150 men working the early morning shift.

Steel plants in other parts of the country were reported putting up strike signs and picket lines.

BUT THERE was no such action here.

The 30-odd workers just stood around the main gate, talking and joking, waiting for some word either by telephone from Local President Paul Zelenak in Pittsburgh, or from a portable radio that was tuned to a Philadelphia station.

At one point, four minutes before midnight, the radio announcer interrupted a love ballad to say that CIO Steelworkers President David J. McDonald had just started a meeting with the Wage Policy committee concerning a "last minute deal."

The announcer, sleepily, added: "I guess that strike is supposed to be at midnight, isn't it?"

THE 30 MEN, who had circled the radio when the "flash" was announced, burst into laughter. There were a few derogatory remarks about the announcer's knowledge of current events.

One worker said, "I won't believe ANYTHING he says now," and the rest laughed in assent.

At midnight, several hundred men streamed out of the plant. One union man said they were the 3:30 p. m. to midnight workers.

Presumably, the few men who had started work at 11 p. m. walked out with them. One of the 11-to-7 men remarked to a buddy as he walked out, "they should all be so short."

Robert Garber, president of Firestone's URW local, was on hand. He and his wife talked with union men until midnight. Then the couple left.

There were no official strike headquarters designated last night. Hartman gave the few instructions he had to give as the men stood on the sidewalk.

The Mercury weekly offers \$10 in cash awards for the best news tips. Win awards by telephoning 6000.

# NOTICE!!

## NO HOME DELIVERY

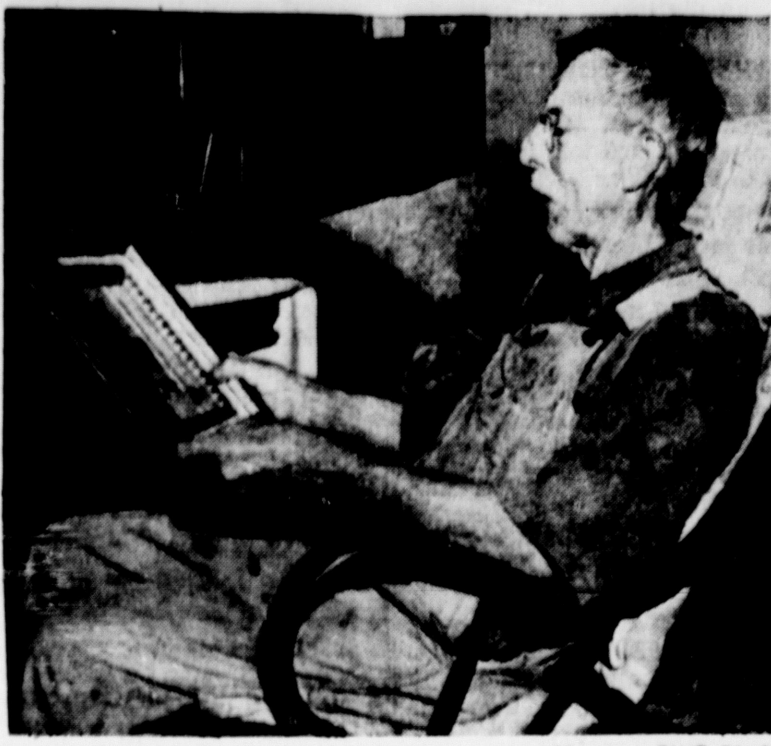
### Monday, July 4

AND

### Wednesday, July 6

BAKERY OPEN MONDAY  
For Your Holiday Needs

## SCHULZ BAKING CO.



—Mercury Staff Photo

**LOOKING BACK**—Recalling the days before Colebrookdale township had public schools is easy for Morris Hausman, Boyertown RD 1. Here the veteran school director examines 60-year-old picture of himself and classmates at school that charged 6 cents a day tuition. Hausman has been a school director for 32 of his 72 years. He's finishing a one-year term now as president of his township board.

## HAUSMAN —

(Continued From Page One)

me is equal to a millionaire."

Hausman is finishing a term as president of the school board now. He will give up that office today to become treasurer of the board.

Treasurer and secretary are the only paid offices," he explained, "so we rotate offices every year."

WITH HIS white mustache and rugged features, Hausman could pass for a retired Army officer. He is not a fighter, though. He is a builder.

"I was treasurer of the school board in 1926 when we built that two-room New Berlinville school," he recalled. "We received a \$1826 semi-annual State appropriation in those days, and we had the same tug-of-war between the people on one side and Harrisburg on the other."

Many citizens forget about State regulations when they criticize school boards, the veteran director observed.

"You try to do right by your township," he said, "but you have to please Harrisburg, too."

TODAY THE Colebrookdale board is completing a ten-room consolidated school through a school authority. Under this plan, Hausman said, the board has fewer problems than it had with the two-room school.

Hausman is a builder by trade. He has been a carpenter and contractor for 45 years. He retired two years ago to spend all his time tending his 16-acre farm, but keeps his hand in about the power tools in his home wood-working shop.

While in the building business Hausman built five houses, seven barns, the Funk fruit farm sheds and the Earlville community center.

"Framing a barn is becoming a lost art," he commented sadly. "Now they just assemble them as they come from the mill."

ON HIS SMALL farm, Hausman raises corn, barley, strawberries and raspberries. The berries are his favorite passion. He has 1500 strawberry plants.

He did some dairying soon after he bought his present place in 1907, but now raises only chickens.

Hausman doesn't recall being sick any time in his long life. He was laid up once with a broken leg, but otherwise he's spent most of his time working.

He has four more years to serve in his present term as school director. "I wasn't keen on running again two years ago," he joked. "Thought I'd helped spend enough money, but they were used to me by that time."

HAUSMAN WAS born on his father's farm in Colebrookdale. It is the one adjoining his present place. Richard Kerlin has it now. Young Morris attended a one-room brick school near his home that charged six cents a day tuition. Teachers got no regular salary, he said. Later, when Haus-

man became a school director, teachers were on salary—\$56 a month.

Hausman is married to the former Katherine Johnson. They have four children, Elmer J., at home; Herbert, Tipton; Monroe, Boyertown RD 1, and Edna, wife of Alton Haas, Boyertown RD 1.

Hausman is a member of Hill Lutheran church, the Boyertown Red Men, the Boyertown Orioles, the Friendship Hook and Ladder company, Boyertown; the Liberty Fire company, New Berlinville; the Tipton Fire company and the Gabelsville Athletic association.

## School Board

### Awards Contract

The West Pottsgrove school board awarded a contract for general and art supplies to the Harry A. Keene Estate of Pottstown at a meeting last night in the high school.

The Keene Estate entered a low bid of \$2150. A lumber contract was also awarded to the Northeastern Lumber company of Reading. In other business, the board accepted the resignation of Mrs. John Boyer, school nurse. She will be a full-time employee of the Spring-Ford jointure.

The purchase of a mimeograph machine and an electric typewriter was also approved. Daniel E. Harp, president, presided at the meeting.

## Accident Victim Remains Critical

David Lessig, 25, of 9 East Third street, remained in "critical" condition at Memorial hospital early this morning.

Lessig was injured Tuesday when he fell down a flight of stairs while working on a new house in Pugh-town.

An employee of the Doehrer-Jarvis division, he was working on a part-time job when the accident occurred. He first was listed in "fair" condition, but became critical in Wednesday.

Telephone 6000 with your news-tips.



**ADDS CLASS to the Transfer of Money**

Your check is, in a very real way, your business card. It actually goes to more persons whose good will you value than does your business card.

Why don't you, too, present a National Bank of Pottstown check? A check is always welcome; a National Bank of Pottstown check adds prestige to your business transactions.

Complete Banking Service  
And Drive-In Banking—  
At Each Branch—  
East End and Stowe

At the Main Office, at  
205 High Street,  
Free Parking in Our Garage  
at 216 King Street.

**The National Bank of Pottstown**

"The Bank with The Clock on The Curb"

Member Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation

## WEEDS —

(Continued From Page One)

said that if payment isn't forthcoming, a lien would be placed against the properties.

Under the same set-up, yesterday Murray cut the weeds on the northeast corner of Lincoln and Washington streets.

Today he plans to finish the current list of properties to be cleaned up by cutting two more.

MURRAY SAID yesterday that his biggest headache in cutting weeds is caused by junk that he finds littering the lots.

He spends more than half of his time picking up tin cans, tree prunings, twisted lengths of wire

and abandoned car seats.

"If people would only stop throwing junk and garbage in their neighbors' lots," he said, "the lots would be much easier to cut."

Bills for the work done so far will be sent to Fred Otterhein, Erindale, Ontario, Canada; Casper Puche, Norristown; Joseph Flak, Brooklyn, N. Y.; and George Grusczk, Staten Island, N. Y.

TODAY'S WORK will be done on the property at 412 Walnut street, belonging to Mrs. Lulu Ladner, Philadelphia; and the Monroe Bergey estate, 517 Chestnut street.

The six properties were part of a list of twelve found uncut by police on June 15, weeks after the initial notices had been mailed out.

Under the ordinance, prop-

erty owners become liable for a fine of from \$25 to \$100 ten days after receipt of the notices directing that the weeds be cut.

Three of the 12 properties were found to be properly cut this past Friday when Gulden inspected them.

THREE OTHERS were sent "final" notices directing that the weeds be cut immediately or the fine will be imposed.

They were sent to Harold Weber, Berks and Walnut streets, for part of the property at the same address; to John Shaner, 47 Walnut street, for the property at 17 Chestnut street; and to Raymond Reid-nauer, 11 North Hanover street, for the property at 333 Walnut street.

Gulden said that he would check compliance with the three notices today.

Reidnauer told Gulden Saturday that his weeds would definitely be cut, Weber reported spreading the area with a weed killer, and Mrs. Shaner said that her husband had cut the weeds on Tuesday.

Meanwhile three more notices have been mailed out.

They went to John Marszalec, Philadelphia, for lots 584 to 588 on Logan street, between Gay and Wilson streets; to Sidney Pollock, 245 Rosedale drive, for lots 135 to 137 on Henry street, between Jack-jack and Morris streets, and to the Montgomery county Housing authority for all the vacant lots on the East side of Prince street, from Glasgow street southward.

## Robert Heffner Receives Business Club Award

Robert Heffner was presented with a "Big Hat" last night, during the last meeting of the ABC club for the summer months.

Heffner was instrumental in enrolling three new members.

It was announced at the meeting of the National association of clubs will start a fund to be used in sending young men, who are interested in physio-therapy, to college.

The students will have all their educational expenses paid, providing that they will work in one of the ABC cerebral palsy institutions, upon their graduation.

Call The Mercury with news-tips.

# TODAY AND TOMORROW AT LEVITZ!

# SALE

## SPEED QUEEN

Reg. 119.95 Washers! While They Last!

# \$11

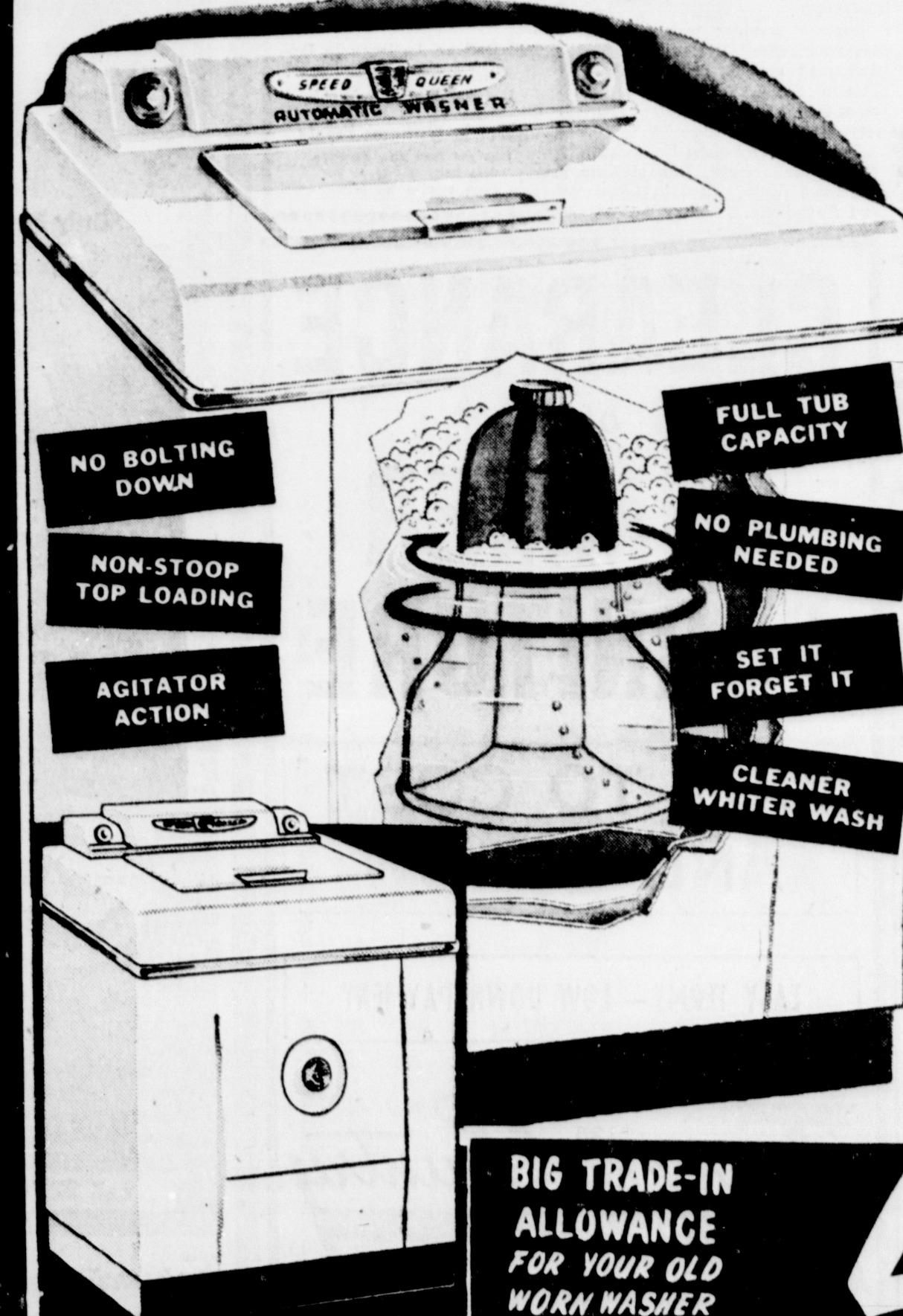
No Money Down! Only 1.25 Weekly!



**FREE**  
4 Months  
Supply of  
**TIDE**  
With This Washer

Our first big washer sale in over a year! We bought a carload of SPEED QUEEN and they go in a big 2-day sale... Come in, see these big values... Prices include your old washer in trade.

2 Days Only!



NO BOLTING DOWN

NON-STOOP TOP LOADING

AGITATOR ACTION

FULL TUB CAPACITY

NO PLUMBING NEEDED

SET IT FORGET IT

CLEANER WHITER WASH

## SPEED QUEEN

# AUTOMATIC

Washes Clean! Rinses Thoroughly!  
Damp Dries! All Automatically!  
Regular \$279.95

# \$166

With Your Old Washer in Trade  
Only \$2.00 Weekly

Beautiful deluxe model A-10 exactly as illustrated with stainless steel top. Full capacity, with agitator that gives you the cleanest whitest wash, loads from top, does a complete wash from start to finish without you being near it! 2 days only at this low price!

Hands Never Touch Water!

**SPEED QUEEN  
DRYER  
\$133**

**BIG TRADE-IN ALLOWANCE FOR YOUR OLD WORN WASHER**

# LEVITZ



# ROTARY SEATS BARNARD AS CLUB PRESIDENT

Ethelbert P. Barnard was installed as new president of the Pottstown Rotary club during a meeting of the group last night in the Elk's home.

The installation was conducted by Willard Kline, a past president of the club. Other new officers are: Howard W. Bartholomew,



ETHELBERT P. BARNARD

vice president, and Hilary Misiemer, secretary-treasurer.

The board of directors is composed of John Storb, Robert Hutton and Paul Emrich. Karl Schumacher is director of past presidents and Frederick Kendall, program chairman.

Melvin Pierce, out-going president, gave a farewell address. Pierce was president during the Golden Anniversary of the group.

A LIST of projects undertaken by the Rotary this year was given as follows: 25 shade trees planted at the Memorial hospital and 25 planted at Memorial park.

A footbridge built at Memorial park donation to the Rotary Foundation Fellowship; an American flag and banner for the conference year and a craft mobile to the Pottstown Recreation commission.

Edward Fretz, past president and past district governor, who has been bedridden for the past six years, was taken on a tour of Pottstown, by ambulance. This also was sponsored by the group.

Barnard will act as president during the conference year which is going to be sponsored by the local club. Walter Heise is district governor.

## WEEKEND —

street attributed his flurry in business to the coming weekend.

Spokesmen at Johnny's Service Station, West High street, and Buck's Service station, 1435 East High street, reported an increase of business during the week.

THE POTTSTOWN Automobile club warned motorists driving on the turnpike or to any distant points to remember that they are not supermen.

They have been told to remain mentally alert, to look out for the other driver.

The club reported that all sections of the Commonwealth will be heavily-policed during the weekend.

A July 4 program at Pennhurst State school will start with a parade at 8:30 a. m.

James M. Sturges will be marshal and Thomas Alphin, assistant marshal.

A FLAG RAISING ceremony will be conducted by Boy Scout troop 61 at 9:15 a. m. followed by a band concert by the Pennhurst band under the direction of Charles S. Weikel.

Field events will start at 9:30 and will include bicycle races, stores will be closed for the holiday dashes, and other contests including a pie eating and watermelon over the weekend.



**GARDEN PESTS**

**Hate Our SPRAY-AWAY PLAN!**

**DuPONT GARDEN PRODUCTS**

TOMATO SPRAY      FLORAL SPRAY  
VEGETABLE SPRAY      ROSE SPRAY

50% MALATHION FOR APHIDS and RED SPIDER

SOLUBLE PLANT FOOD

WEED KILLER FOR LAWNS, \$1.00

WEED KILLER FOR WALKS, DRIVES POISON IVY, PT., 70c GAL., \$2.00

**VAN BUSKIRK AND BROTHER**

PAINT-HARDWARE-HOUSEWARES-GARDEN SUPPLIES

218 HIGH STREET      POTTSTOWN

## OBITUARIES

**ALICE I. (MOSER) YOCUM, 88**, Paul A., Pottstown RD 1, Earl S., Douglassville RD 1, died yesterday afternoon at her home, following an illness of eight weeks.

She was the widow of Jeremiah Yocum. Born in York county to the late Jacob and Adeline (Boyer) Moser, she moved into Berks county when she was 11 years old and had lived in that region ever since.

Mrs. Yocum was a charter member of St. Peter's Lutheran church, Stowe.

She is survived by two step-sons,

Paul A., Pottstown RD 1, Earl S., Douglassville RD 1; three sisters, Esther A. Moser, Douglassville RD 1, Arabella, wife of Frederick Francis, Penn Village, Mrs. Bertha E. Price, Harrisburg; 3 step-grandchildren and 4 step-great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be conducted at the convenience of the family from the Harley and Skean Funeral home, 404 High street, Sunday.

Officiating will be the Rev. Arthur S. Hanson, pastor of St. Peter's Lutheran church. Interment will be made in Mt. Zion cemetery.

## WEATHER —

(Continued From Page One)

regions north of Pottstown warmer rather than cooler.

Yesterday's weather was again on the "too hot side." Temperatures reached 85 and it was humid.

Hot, humid weather will continue today and there will be considerable cloudiness.

Thundershowers should hit the area this afternoon or this evening. Tomorrow also will be hot and humid.

DURING THE past month, Pottstonians got their share of cloudy weather.

Old Sol was at least partly hidden by hovering and drifting clouds on all but four days in the entire month.

And along with the clouds came a full share of rain, 5.03 inches of it. The rainfall was 1 1/4 inches above average for the month—the wettest June since 1946.

And the heaviest rainfall—as usual—came on a weekend. On Sunday, June 12, the picnic baskets stayed in their closets, as disappointed area residents watched 1.78 inches of water splash persistently on the ground outside.

THE MOST important day of the entire month—weatherwise—was this past Tuesday, when another long-time weather record was scratched from the books.

The temperature on that day went down to an unprecedented 55 degrees—two degrees below the previous record for the day set in 1922.

It was a month of temperature extremes as sweaters and winter clothes shuttled back and forth from their closets with each day's change.

The thermometer slid all the way from 52 degrees on the 9th to 91 degrees on the 22nd, with plenty of ups and downs in between.

BUT WHEN everything was smoothed out by the statisticians, it turned out a pretty average month. The average temperature was 69.7 degrees, 1.5 degrees below normal.

June got off to a slow start in the thunderstorm department, but the three-day barrage from the 21st to the 23rd made up for it.

If anyone was disappointed with the weather for the month, they could try blaming the northwest part of the country.

For that's where most of the weather came from—riding the prevailing winds that hit a peak velocity of 43 miles per hour on the rainy 12th.

## WENTZEL —

(Continued From Page One)

released for appearance at yesterday's hearing.

It was learned last night that he was prosecuted on the charge of disorderly conduct, instead of drunken driving.

Following the morning program lunch will be served.

Afternoon activities will include a peanut scramble, coin hunt and a softball game. The game will begin at 2 o'clock.

In Pottstown there will be no special observance of July 4, but stores will be closed for the holiday dashes, and other contests including a pie eating and watermelon over the weekend.

## Hayfever Season Approaching Fast, Victims Prepare

It is fast approaching that time of year when Pottstown hayfever sufferers are preparing for an invasion by the invisible pollen.

Some of the less fortunate sufferers have already been attacked by the ruthless allergy. Others have been preparing their defense for the siege, expected to hit in the next two weeks.

Once the troop of pollen has charged, the victims begin a series of long sneezes; blow their noses until they become sore and swollen and wipe away the tears as they swell in their eyes.

It is at this stage that the victims march directly to their nearest druggist to fill out their yearly prescriptions.

H. ARTHUR DIETRICH, pharmacist at Bentz's drug store, said last night that sufferers of the allergy have been coming into the store earlier than usual this year.

F. L. Binder, of the Binder drug store, has not noticed a rush as yet. He said that the hayfever season depends on the type of weather the area is having.

"Customers have been coming into Bentz's drug store for allergy prescriptions since early Spring, but there hasn't been too much of a rush as yet," said Doyle Sheasley, pharmacist at the store.

He expects the rush to begin early this month.

A spokesman at Canning's drug store mentioned that in a week or so they will be having a steady flow of people seeking relief from the allergy.

Some of the area sufferers have been getting injections from their physicians in order to become immune to the pollen. This treatment is taken anywhere from 2 to 30 weeks before the season strikes.

Arrangements were in charge of the Houck Funeral home, 112 North Washington street.

Services for **ALBERT FEIT, 56**, FOREST HILLS, LONG ISLAND, NEW YORK, brother of Martin A. Feit, Grace and Spruce street, were held Tuesday at 10 a. m. in New York city.

Feit, who was a newspaper distributor, died Sunday in the Forest Hills hospital.

He is survived by his wife, Bertha, two children, Helen and Stephen, of Forest Hills, three brothers, Martin, Pottstown; Michael, Flushing L.I., and Samuel, New York city; two sisters, Mrs. Gertrude Miller, Miami Beach, Florida, and Mrs. Anna Hager, Brooklyn, N.Y.

Interment was made in Staten Island cemetery.

Services for **MARY (MELOY) ROBINSON**, wife of the late Robert Robinson, who died in PLEASANTVILLE, N.Y., were yesterday at 2 p. m. from the Schumacher Funeral home, 359 King street.

The Rev. A. Burtis Hallock, pastor of First Presbyterian church, officiated, assisted by the Rev. Arthur H. Simpson, pastor Emeritus of First Presbyterian church. Interment was in Oak Grove cemetery, Parkerford.

Bearers were John, James, Stuart Jr., Robert and Alton Meloy and Melvin Frankhouse.

Services for **MARY S. (SOUDER) KULP, 84**, PERKIOMENVILLE RD 1, were conducted yesterday afternoon from the Hoffman Funeral home, 221 Main street, East Greenville.

Further services took place at Sassamansville Evangelical and Reformed church, with the Rev. Vernon Stoop, officiating. Interment was in the Independent cemetery, Sassamansville.

Bearers were Robert Hollowbush, Wilmer Hollowbush, Donald Kulp, Raymond Kulp, Harold Hoffman and Earl Kulp.

Services for **MARY S. (SOUDER) KULP, 84**, PERKIOMENVILLE RD 1, were conducted yesterday afternoon from the Hoffman Funeral home, 221 Main street, East Greenville.

Further services took place at Sassamansville Evangelical and Reformed church, with the Rev. Vernon Stoop, officiating. Interment was in the Independent cemetery, Sassamansville.

Bearers were Robert Hollowbush, Wilmer Hollowbush, Donald Kulp, Raymond Kulp, Harold Hoffman and Earl Kulp.

Services for **MARY S. (SOUDER) KULP, 84**, PERKIOMENVILLE RD 1, were conducted yesterday afternoon from the Hoffman Funeral home, 221 Main street, East Greenville.

Further services took place at Sassamansville Evangelical and Reformed church, with the Rev. Vernon Stoop, officiating. Interment was in the Independent cemetery, Sassamansville.

Bearers were Robert Hollowbush, Wilmer Hollowbush, Donald Kulp, Raymond Kulp, Harold Hoffman and Earl Kulp.

Services for **MARY S. (SOUDER) KULP, 84**, PERKIOMENVILLE RD 1, were conducted yesterday afternoon from the Hoffman Funeral home, 221 Main street, East Greenville.

Further services took place at Sassamansville Evangelical and Reformed church, with the Rev. Vernon Stoop, officiating. Interment was in the Independent cemetery, Sassamansville.

Bearers were Robert Hollowbush, Wilmer Hollowbush, Donald Kulp, Raymond Kulp, Harold Hoffman and Earl Kulp.

## MOONSHINE —

(Continued From Page One)

from the still.

Both father and son denied they had anything to do with moonshining. They told Chief Guldin that some men had told them about the still and that they were just "going to take a look at it."

The still was located in a thickly wooded section of Chestnut Hill in North Coventry township, two miles southwest of Cold Springs park.

It was well hidden, on the banks of a narrow stream, about a half mile from an unused dirt road.

With moonshine whiskey selling at \$10 a gallon on the market, the still at capacity would turn out \$5000 worth of tax-free liquor a day.

THE FEDERAL tax on a gallon of whiskey is \$10.40.

Guldin discovered the still earlier this week and waited patiently to nab the suspects.

On a routine patrol through his territory he noticed that the high grass in the center of a seldom-used dirt road was crushed, indicating use by a car.

He drove up the road on a routine investigation. About a quarter of a mile in, he noticed that some trees were freshly scarred, shrubs snapped off, and the ground littered with cigar butts and papers.

HE FOLLOWED a trail of scarred trees, crushed brush, and leaf-shorn bushes until he came on the still—nearly a half mile from the road.

Wednesday night, Guldin and Howard G. "Sax" Seibold, constable for South Coventry township, hid themselves at the still. They waited for four hours until 2 a. m.

Nobody showed. They gave up the vigil.

Guldin returned to the still yesterday afternoon at 2 p. m.

THE ASHES from a fire were still glowing. The main "boiler" of the still was hot. Apparently, the moonshiners had arrived after Guldin and Seibold had left.

Guldin sat at the still and waited.

After about 20 minutes he heard a twig snap. He jumped behind a tree and waited.

He saw the father appear first. The man was carrying two jugs.

GULDIN SAID the still would have cost about \$3000 to build. It was similar to, but much more elaborate, than the one discovered in Lower Pottsgrove township behind the Firestone plant the past November.

It had been set up with real craftsmanship; a stone wall was built around the steel barrel in which steam was produced.

The wall was solidly cemented as though by a professional mason.

PIPES LED from this steam chamber to a series of three wooden hogsheads and then to a 20-foot-long pipe.

The pipe in turn was pitched down to an automobile radiator. The radiator served as the cooling coil system for the still.

At the bottom of the radiator was a pipe from which the finished product would drip.

U. S. tax agents who smashed the Lower Pottsgrove still the past Fall had said that that one was capable of turning out 100 gallons of whiskey a day.

Based on that estimate, authorities said that this Norco still probably had a capacity of more than 100 gallons a day.

Guldin said he figured the still had been in operation about two weeks.

It was built about ten feet from a narrow, five-foot wide shallow creek.

To keep water accessible, they dammed up the creek with 50 dirt-filled bags which gave them a three-foot deep pool of cool, clean water.

WHEN THE man was about 15 feet away, Guldin jumped from behind the tree, aimed his pistol at the man, and told him to raise his hands fast or he'd shoot.

Both the father and son dropped their jugs. The father said, "Don't shoot, don't shoot!"

Guldin, not sure whether there were any other men, cupped his free hand to his mouth, turned slightly towards a wooded hill that overlooks the still, and shouted, "I've got two here. There may be more of them!"

He then told the father, "Don't move. There are eight State cops up there."

WHEN GULDIN was sure there were no other men with the pair he searched them and marched them back to his car and took them to borough hall in Pottstown.

The father was given a hearing before Justice of the Peace Harry Anderson in South Pottstown. Bail was set at \$500.

Guldin said the boy would be turned over to the juvenile authorities in Chester county.

The father insisted that it was his first visit to the still. Guldin said the father claimed at first he was going to the creek to get water.

THEN THE man changed his story and claimed that three men had told him about the still. He said he didn't know the names of the men but that they didn't come from the Pottstown area.

Guldin asked at the hearing last night that Baughman be held for a further hearing next Thursday at 8 p. m.

He said he wanted to continue his investigation of the case.

Guldin and Seibold yesterday afternoon smashed the still with axes and sledgehammers.

GULDIN SAID the still would have cost about \$3000 to build. It was similar to, but much more elaborate, than the one discovered in Lower Pottsgrove township behind the Firestone plant the past November.

It had been set up with real craftsmanship; a stone wall was built around the steel barrel in which steam was produced.

The wall was solidly cemented as though by a professional mason.

PIPES LED from this steam chamber to a series of three wooden hogsheads and then to a 20-foot-long pipe.

The pipe in turn was pitched down to an automobile radiator. The radiator served as the cooling coil system for the still.

At the bottom of the radiator was a pipe from which the finished product would drip.

U. S. tax agents who smashed the Lower Pottsgrove still the past Fall had said that that one was capable of turning out 100 gallons of whiskey a day.

Based on that estimate, authorities said that this Norco still probably had a capacity of more than 100 gallons a day.

Guldin said he figured the still had been in operation about two weeks.

It was built about ten feet from a narrow, five-foot wide shallow creek.

To keep water accessible, they dammed up the creek with 50 dirt-filled bags which gave them a three-foot deep pool of cool, clean water.

GULDIN SAID the still would have cost about \$3000 to build. It was similar to, but much more elaborate, than the one discovered in Lower Pottsgrove township behind the Firestone plant the past November.

It had been set up with real craftsmanship; a stone wall was built around the steel barrel in which steam was produced.

The wall was solidly cemented as though by a professional mason.

PIPES LED from this steam chamber to a series of three wooden hogsheads and then to a 20-foot-long pipe.

The pipe in turn was pitched down to an automobile radiator. The radiator served as the cooling coil system for the still.

At the bottom of the radiator was a pipe from which the finished product would drip.

U. S. tax agents who smashed the Lower Pottsgrove still the past Fall had said that that one was capable of turning out 100 gallons of whiskey a day.

Based on that estimate, authorities said that this Norco still probably had a capacity of more than 100 gallons a day.

Guldin said he figured the still had been in operation about two weeks.

It was built about ten feet from a narrow, five-foot wide shallow creek.

To keep water accessible, they dammed up the creek with 50 dirt-filled bags which gave them a three-foot deep pool of cool, clean water.

still, it's nearly a half mile through thick woods and brush. Transporting six huge hogsheads, an oil barrel, a dozen lengths of three-inch pipe, hundred pound bags of cement and sugar—maybe a dozen of those—five gallons cans of fuel oil, axes, saws, hammers, plumbing tools, an automobile radiator, and a variety of other smaller items, can only recall Hannibal's crossing of the Alps.

And all done at night, too.

What makes a moonshiner's efforts understandable are the huge profits involved.

Federal tax agents said that each gallon of moonshine whiskey brings about \$10 on the moonshine market. Profit seems even higher if the moonshiner "cuts" the 105 proof alcohol and stretches a gallon into two gallons.

At the same time, the U. S. Government loses \$10.40 in tax revenue for each gallon of moonshine whiskey sold.

THE MOONSHINERS probably hadn't made much money on their investment; the three huge hogsheads in which the mash was "working" (each hogshead holds 300 gallons) was nearly filled with fresh mash.

Surrounding the still were a variety of moonshining items—rubber boots; five-gallon oil cans in which the fuel for the "stove" was lugged; a device for testing the strength of the alcohol; a two-man saw; an axe; buckets, glass jugs and bottles.

From a galvanized wash tub, three gallons of whiskey was bottled by Chief Guldin. The testing device indicated that the alcohol was 105 proof. It will used as evidence against the suspected moonshiners.

One of the amazing things about moonshiners is the courage and strength they display in setting up their illegal contraptions.

FROM THE nearest road to the

THE MOONSHINERS probably hadn't made much money on their investment; the three huge hogsheads in which the mash was "working" (each hogshead holds 300 gallons) was nearly filled with fresh mash.

Surrounding the still were a variety of moonshining items—rubber boots; five-gallon oil cans in which the fuel for the "stove" was lugged; a device for testing the strength of the alcohol; a two-man saw; an axe; buckets, glass jugs and bottles.

From a galvanized wash tub, three gallons of whiskey was bottled by Chief Guldin. The testing device indicated that the alcohol was 105 proof. It will used as evidence against the suspected moonshiners.

One of the amazing things about moonshiners is the courage and strength they display in setting up their illegal contraptions.

FROM THE nearest road to the

THE MOONSHINERS probably hadn't made much money on their investment; the three huge hogsheads in which the mash was "working" (each hogshead holds 300 gallons) was nearly filled with fresh mash.

Surrounding the still were a variety of moonshining items—rubber boots; five-gallon oil cans in which the fuel for the "stove" was lugged; a device for testing the strength of the alcohol; a two-man saw; an axe; buckets, glass jugs and bottles.

From a galvanized wash tub, three gallons of whiskey was bottled by Chief Guldin. The testing device indicated that the alcohol was 105 proof. It will used as evidence against the suspected moonshiners.

One of the amazing things about moonshiners is the courage and strength they display in setting up their illegal contraptions.

FROM THE nearest road to the

**REGIME BLASTS DULLES**

BERLIN, June 30 (AP)—The East German Communist regime tonight issued a statement attacking U.S. Secretary of State Dulles as a "plotter" against German unity.

**RONSON ADONIS**

NOW ONLY \$8.95

**ROYAL JEWELERS**

251 HIGH ST.

OPEN TONIGHT 'TIL 9 P. M. OPEN TONIGHT 'TIL

**Bi-Rite Super Market**

NAGLE CENTER Queen & Moser Rd.

**SEARS "proof" Sears alone gives you big look 21-in. TV under \$150!**

**big screen table TV**

**\$118**

Only \$10 Down, Balance on Sears Easy Payment Plan (Usual carrying charge)

**FREE HOME TRIAL (no obligation) phone 2270**

with all these features . . . see how you save

- Excellent for local and "near fringe" reception.
- Full transformer chassis, resonant wood cabinet.
- Compact and lightweight. Easily moved from room to room for your enjoyment.

on your patio      at summer cottage      in bedroom

Only \$10 down on Sears Easy Payment Plan and you can enjoy any Silvertone TV includes . . . . .

- One-year picture tube warranty
- One-year receiving tube warranty
- Parts warranty

no extra down payment for . . . . .

- Additional cost of one-year Service Contract
- Additional cost of standard antenna and installation

**Nation-Wide Guaranteed Sears Service**

Should you ever need it, prompt, dependable service is as near as your telephone.

call 2270

**Satisfaction guaranteed or your money back**

**SEARS**

232 High Street      Pottstown, Pa.      Free Parking      Open Fri. Until 9:00

**GARDEN PESTS**

**Hate Our SPRAY-AWAY PLAN!**

**DuPONT GARDEN PRODUCTS**

TOMATO SPRAY      FLORAL SPRAY  
VEGETABLE SPRAY      ROSE SPRAY

50% MALATHION FOR APHIDS and RED SPIDER

SOLUBLE PLANT FOOD

WEED KILLER FOR LAWNS, \$1.00

WEED KILLER FOR WALKS, DRIVES POISON IVY, PT., 70c GAL., \$2.00

**VAN BUSKIRK AND BROTHER**

PAINT-HARDWARE-HOUSEWARES-GARDEN SUPPLIES

218 HIGH STREET      POTTSTOWN



## Man Kills Snake That Scared Girls

A 33-inch copperhead snake gave two northern Chester county girls a scare yesterday afternoon before a man beat it to death.

The snake was in the middle of Kenilworth road, near the store of Miss Annie Bechtel. The girls—Margaret Kissinger, 8, and Barbara Drumheller, 15—who were visiting with Miss Bechtel for the day from their nearby homes, were startled when they came upon it.

The girls ran back and called to Russell Shafer, Pottstown RD 2, who was sitting on his front porch. Shafer grabbed a board and beat the snake to death. He is on vacation from his job as crane operator at the Pottstown Bethlehem Steel works.

## Ursinus Director Attends Reunion

COLLEGEVILLE—Mrs. Donald Verkes, corr. Phone Schwenksville 9103, Gerald Hefelinger, del. Phone Collegeville 9371, Everett Bailey, director of athletics at Ursinus college, attended his class reunion at Springfield college, Springfield, Mass., recently in connection with the annual commencement week exercises at the college.

Frank W. Hankins, of Collegeville, head of the Frank W. Hankins company, led a seminar on industrial marketing at the Cornell university industrial engineering seminars last week.

Hankins led the discussion on the topic, "Market Definition and Analysis," at the seminar.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanford Cox, of York, announce the birth of a daughter on June 21 in the York hospital.

MRS. COX will be remembered as the former Grace Buckwalter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Buckwalter, of Main street.

Mrs. Buckwalter left last week to spend two weeks in York with the Cox family.

Mrs. D. H. Bariman, Helen Bariman, of Main street, and Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Witmer and Charlotte Witmer, of Trappe, attended the premier of "Guys and Dolls" at the Valley Forge Music Fair.

A daughter was born last week at Montgomery Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Corks of 4 Main street, Collegeville.

MR. AND Mrs. Harry Gessner spent a few days of Mr. Gessner's vacation with their daughter and her family, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Brennan, near Albany, N. Y.

Pearl Schrack is spending the summer with the Harold K. Weaver family of Second avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hankins enjoyed a two-week trip through New England and New York state recently.

## Grange Members To Attend Fair

Eight members of 'Kimberton Grange 1304, will attend the Pennsylvania Dutch festival at Kutztown this weekend, it was announced during a meeting of the group this week.

On Friday Mrs. Michael Jugan, Mrs. Harvey Davis, Mrs. Frank Detweiler, Mrs. William McKay will attend the fair; on Saturday Mrs. Myron Berk, Edna Ludwick, Mrs. Walter Scheib and Mrs. Clarence L. Funk will represent the group.

The women will each display food made from an Old Dutch recipe.

Mrs. William McKay was in charge of the program during the meeting. Helen Schmidt sang a solo and Laura Kirk Gyger spoke on home freezing.

On August 16, the grange will hold a picnic at the home of Paul Barton.

Michael Jugan Jr. was in charge of the business meeting.



—Mercury Staff Photo

## Collegeville Couple Host to Friends At Birthday Fete

COLLEGEVILLE—Mrs. Donald Verkes, corr. Phone Schwenksville 9103, Gerald Hefelinger, del. Phone Collegeville 9371, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Muche and daughters entertained at dinner on Sunday Mrs. Muche's brother and sister and their families, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Colli and Mr. and Mrs. James Kutschubos, all of Philadelphia. The event was in celebration of Colli's birthday anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hastings entertained 15 members of their family at dinner last week in celebration of the birthday anniversaries of their daughter, Judy, and Donald Ashenfelter, of Arcola. Christine Ashenfelter was the house guest of the Hastings for two weeks.

Roger Staiger Jr. left on Monday, in the company of his grandmother, Mrs. Charles Brown, of Kenilworth, for a three-weeks visit with his uncle, Richard Brown, of Kansas City, Kan.

Rebecca Ann, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Nyce, of Third avenue, participated in the dance recital of the Friel School of Dancing, which was held last Tuesday evening in the Phoenixville Memorial Junior High School building.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Sieber Pancoast and family were the Sunday guests of Mrs. Garfield Pancoast and Mr. and Mrs. William Brown, of Germantown. Susan Pancoast remained to spend the week with her grandmother, Mrs. Pancoast.

## Collegeville Workman Falls Through Ceiling

Clair Pilgert, 21, of Collegeville RD 1, suffered possible rib injuries yesterday afternoon when he fell through a ceiling on a construction job at Lewis road and Cherry lane, Trappe.

Pilgert was admitted to Memorial hospital for X-rays and observation.

He was working for contractor George Yergler, Royersford RD 1, when the accident took place. He was reported in "good" condition by a hospital spokesman late last night.

## Governor Signs Bill For Delaware River Dam

HARRISBURG, June 30 (AP)—A bill authorizing Pennsylvania to build a large impounding dam on the Delaware river at Wallpack Bend, Pike county, was signed into law today by Governor Leader.

"This is an indication that we are beginning to look ahead in water supply matters," Leader told newsmen. "Up to now we have lived only from day to day."

## TRAVEL IS EDUCATING

HOUSTON, Tex., June 30 (AP)—Hugh Lansford got his degree in civil engineering after 10 years of night school. He figured he drove 100,000 miles from his home to the school.

MOWING 'EM DOWN—Cutting down weeds on lots whose owners ignored the borough's warning notices is Ad Murray, Pottstown RD 2. The owners will be sent bills for Murray's work, and their properties will be liened if the bills aren't paid. Murray is looking cautiously over the side for discarded articles of junk that often foul his mower. (Story on Page 1).



Entire Store Healthfully Air-Conditioned for Your Shopping Pleasure

SHOP TODAY FROM 9:30 'TIL 9  
FREE PARKING IN REAR OF STORE



Men's C-o-o-l Short Sleeve

Sport Shirts **1.95**

Completely washable meshes, no-iron nylon puckers, seer-suckers in plaids, novelties and solid colors. Ensenada and Tru-val brands, two-way collar and one or two pockets. Sizes S, M, L, XL.



MEN'S and YOUNG MEN'S

SWIM TRUNKS

**2.95**

Sunbright colors: solids, plaids and two tones. The price is so extra special you'll want several for summer vacation swimming. Lastex, gabardine and poplin in brief and boxer styles. Sizes 30 to 44.

Other Famous Brand Swimwear 3.95, 4.95

## Mrs. Raymond Erb Admitted to Hospital

RED HILL—Mrs. Calvin Reed, corr. Phone Pottstown 2304, Dale Miller, del. Phone Pottstown 4673.

Mrs. Raymond Erb, Jefferson street, is a surgical patient at Community hospital, Quakertown.

Leroy Myers Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Myers, of town, returned home from Montgomery hospital, Norristown.

Sherry Lynn, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Walbert, of town, was admitted at Grandview hospital, Sellersville, on Thursday for observation and treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Weaver and daughter Pauline of Belleville, moved into their recently purchased home on Main street, on Wednesday.

The Mercury weekly offers \$10 in cash awards for the best news-tips. Win awards by telephoning 6000.

## Rose, Lydia Walt Entertain Group

HARLEYSVILLE—Royden Overholzer, corr. Linwood Kenninger, Del., Phone Rosertown 7-6328.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Walt, and daughter Margie, of Souderton; Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Walt and children, Evelyn and Charles, and Mrs. Abram W. Bergey called on Rose and Lydia Walt on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Royden Walt, of Kulpville, and Mrs. Willis Overholzer visited the Walt's on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Miller, of Emmaus, Mrs. Erwin Bauder, of Allentown, and Mr. and Mrs. John Kulp, of Telford, called on the Willis Overholzers on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Landis, and sons, Thomas and Steven; Mr. Willis Overholzer and son, Royden; Mr. and Mrs. Richard Musselman; Brian Alderfer and Doris Grubb, all of Harleysville, visited the Good Shep-

herd home in Allentown with the Luther League of the Christ Lutheran church, Towamencin, on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Lewis Moyer, of Salford Heights, called on Mr. and Mrs. George Souder on Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Musselman had Mr. and Mrs. Royden Walt, of Kulpville, as Sunday dinner guests.

You'll have a **PICNIC**

SHOPPING AT **ROSENBERY'S**

In Air Conditioned Comfort

OPEN **7 DAYS A WEEK**

**ROSENBERY'S**

Pioneer Shopping Service, Inc.

Oak and Hanover Sts.

Phone 5880



**AKERS'**

HAIR & SCALP CLINIC

Hours: 11 A. M. to 8 P. M.  
Sat.: 10 A. M. to 2 P. M.

Home Treatment  
Prepared for Out-of-  
Town Clients After  
Office Examination.

253 HIGH ST.  
2nd Floor  
POTTSTOWN, PA.

PHONE POTTSTOWN 7047

Offices From Coast to Coast and Europe

WHERE THE PROMISE IS GUARANTEED

**MEN! SAVE \$2.00!**  
**SLACK SALE!**

NATIONALLY FAMOUS

**Webster Slacks**

Reg. 7.99 Values for

**5.99**

- Dacron and Rayon Tropicals
- Wash 'n' Wear Nylon-Orlon Cords
- Solid Color Tropicals
- Dacron-Rayon Linen Weaves
- Splash Weave Tropicals
- Sizes 29 to 42 Waist

Full cut cool light weight Summer Slacks, each pair has the fine tailoring details you usually find at many dollars more. Deep pleats, separate waistbands, dropped belt loops, hook and eye closure, zipper fronts. Many colors to choose from.

Sale! Men's C-o-o-l

**LIGHTWEIGHT SLACKS 3.99**

- RAYON BLENDS
- DACRON BLENDS
- LINEN WEAVES
- SOLID COLORS
- CHECKS, CORDS

REGULAR 4.95, 5.95 VALUES

Amazingly low priced for slacks of such tailoring merit—you'll want a pair or two for our national holiday. Hollywood model, pleated for smartness and stooping comfort, zippered fly. Sizes 29 to 42.

**BENNY BENGOUGH NIGHT, FRIDAY — JULY 15th**

at Connie Mack Stadium . . . MILWAUKEE vs. PHILLIES

Sponsored by the Pottstown Old Timers. Tickets on Sale in Our Men's Store. Reserved and Box Seats at Box Office Prices . . . MAIN FLOOR

**MORE SPECIALIZED STORAGE SPACE**  
IN THE GREAT, NEW 1955  
**CROSLY Super SHELVAHOR**  
EASY TO MOVE, EASY TO LOAD

All foods are in front . . . in sight . . . in reach!

**AUTOMATIC BEVERAGE SERVER**  
ICE WATER THRU THE DOOR!

Easy-to-fill water compartment holds a full gallon!

**LIFT-OUT EGG TRAYS**  
BUTTER SAFE—LARGE MEAT DRAWER

Exclusive Crosley Deep, Deep Door more than doubles "front row" space!

MODEL NO. CAD-127  
CAPACITY 12-4 CU. FT.

You can own a **Genuine Shelvador**

for only **2.75** per week

SEE ALL THE '55 SHELVAHORS TODAY AT

**MERRION**

FURNITURE CO., 481 MAIN ST., POTTSTOWN, PA. • PHONE 6195



## Pottstown Area's Prides

Another in the series of beautiful homes that make the Pottstown area warm.



This is the home of Willard M. Bickel, Swamp Pike, Pottstown RD 1. The walls are made of blue and red bricks, and the woodwork is white except for the front door and alternate panels of the garage door which are painted a light blue. Through the breezeway can be seen part of the wide-view enjoyed by the Bickels in the rear of their home. On the first floor are a living room, a dining area, a kitchen, three bedrooms and a bath. A

recreation room is included in the basement which is on the ground level in the back. Bickel has been employed for the past 14 years at the Citizens National Bank, where he is the field representative. The Bickels have two children, W. Dean, 8, and Connie Jeanne, 5. The house, situated on a one-acre lot, was built in 1950. The Bickels have lived in it since May, 1954.

—Mercury Staff Photo

## State Police Raid Dice Game, Nab 57

State police raided a big dice game in a Downingtown RD 2 home early yesterday morning. Fifty-seven gamblers were arrested and paid \$10 fines and \$8 costs at a hearing before Thorne-dale Justice of the Peace James McQueen.

Two others are scheduled for a hearing Tuesday night before Justice McQueen in connection with operating a gambling establishment.

The two men, released on bail, are Anthony Bruno, Downingtown RD 2, at whose home the raid took place, and Joseph D. Quateire.

POLICE SAID most of the men arrested are from the Reading and Philadelphia areas.

It was the second dice raid made in Chester county in less than two weeks.

On June 18, seven men were arrested and fined after a raid just outside of Spring City.

That raid as well as yesterday's was led by Chester County Detective Chester A. Lipp and State Police Sgt. Thomas W. Booner.

The game was being conducted in the "lowlands" between the Pennsylvania Railroad and the old Mill Dam in East Vincent township.

## Couple Honored at Surprise Party On 26th Wedding Anniversary

RIDGE ROAD—Lila McDonald, del. Phone Eagle 8-5219.

Mr. and Mrs. George Tyson, Schuylkill road, were surprised on Sunday night when a group of relatives, friends and neighbors called to celebrate their 26th wedding anniversary. The affair had been planned by their three daughters, Shirley, 12; Doris, 10; and Georgie, 5; and was held on the lawn.

All preparations were made by the girls without the knowledge of their parents. Games were played on the lawn and refreshments served.

The guests present at the party included: Mr. and Mrs. Chester H. Soltys, Miss Genevieve Soltys, Chester Soltys Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer Wismer, Lizzie Wismer, Mr. and Mrs. James Robinson, Janice, Joan, Diane, Doris and Richard Robinson, and Donald Evans, all of Spring City and vicinity; Mrs. Lottie Tyson and Ann Tyson, Royersford.

Mrs. Florence Ettinger, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Michewicz, Mrs. Gwen Schuler and Forsen, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Gill and Linda; Eugene Weiss, and Benjamin Widdicombe, Phoenixville; Mr. and Mrs.

## DEATHS—FUNERALS

LEO H. CLEMENS, 33, of 514 SECOND AVENUE, ROYERSFORD, died yesterday shortly before noon in the Graduate hospital, Philadelphia, where he was a patient one week.

Son of Mrs. Ellen V. Clemens, and the late Harry D. Clemens, he lived all his life in Royersford and was a member of Sacred Heart Catholic church. He formerly was employed at the Superior Tube company, Collegeville, but worked for a short time at the S. A. Wetty and Sons plastic plant, near Royersford, prior to his illness.

Surviving are his mother, of the Second avenue address; a sister, Kathryn, wife of Alfred Gillette, 393 South Fourth avenue, Royersford; three brothers, Leonard, Phoenixville RD; Edwin, New Providence, N. J.; and Robert, at home.

## Plateau Roads Planned On Equatorial Island

PAPEETE, Tahiti, June 30 (AP)—

This French equatorial island has discovered that it has some temperate climate.

High on the plateaus of the inland mountain mass the air is cool and bracing. Authorities are planning to build roads to the plateaus so health resorts can be established far from the coastal heat.

## TROUBLE IN THE WOODS

DETROIT, June 30 (AP)—The Michigan raccoon hasn't had it so rough since the raccoon coat fad of the 1920s. The Davy Crockett hat craze is to blame. Raccoon tails used to sell roughly at 5 cents wholesale. The Davy Crockett hat clamor sent them up to as much as 50 cents apiece.

Call The Mercury with newstips.

## Try and Stop Me

By BENNETT CERF

FRED ALLEN is planning a new story of the underworld. The culprit, finally brought to bay, confesses that he was a certified public accountant, who suddenly discovered he was anemic, so the doctors gave him a blood transfusion. Unfortunately, the blood came from a midget, and just a few months later the accountant realized that his books were short.

Young Snoogles braced himself to ask for the hand of crusty old Mr. Bollinks' only daughter.

"Take her," snorted Bollinks. "I'm sure you're not making enough to support her—but, on the other hand, neither am I!"

A director on the Twentieth Century Fox lot assured Herb Stein, "I want it plainly understood I'm not just a 'yes-man.' Every time Darryl Zanuck says 'no' I say 'no.'"

Copyright, 1955, by Bennett Cerf. Distributed by King Features Syndicate.



## THE OLD HOME TOWN by STANLEY



## ON THE AIR FRIDAY

Hour	NBC 1060 K KYW	WCAU CBS 1210 K	WFIL ABC 560 K	WIP MBS 610 K
6:00	Bill Givens	Rural Digest	Rise and Shine	Joe McCauley
6:15	Mac McGuire	John Fren	" "	" "
6:30	Mac McGuire	News: Weather Here's Harvey	Rise and Shine	Joe McCauley
6:45	Mac McGuire	News: Weather Here's Harvey	Rise and Shine	Joe McCauley
7:00	Mac McGuire	Sports Here's Harvey	Rise and Shine	Joe McCauley
7:15	Mac McGuire	News	News	" "
7:30	Mac McGuire	Here's Harvey	Breakfast Club	News Kitchen Kapers
7:45	Roverboys	Cinderella	" "	News
8:00	Roverboys	Women Only Market	My True Story	Happiness Keys
8:15	Ruth Welles	Arthur Godfrey	Whispering Sir's A Girl Marries	Buddy Greco
8:30	Break the Bank	Arthur Godfrey	Off the Record	Florida Calling
8:45	Strike It Rich	Women Only	" "	Queen For A Day
9:00	Pharise Pays	Harry Prime	" "	" "
9:15	Mary McBride	" "	" "	" "
10:00	News: Weather Here's Harvey	Warren: News	Off the Record	Eddie Fisher
10:15	Jack Pyle	Rosemary	" "	Paul Weston
10:30	" "	Heen Treat	" "	Weather
10:45	" "	Our Gal Sunday	" "	" "
11:00	Jack Pyle	Road of Life	Mary Jones	Keys to Happiness
11:15	" "	Ma Perkins	Paul Harvey	W. Phillips Show
11:30	" "	Dr. Maigoo	Three M's Music	Gagbusters
11:45	" "	Guiding Light	" "	" "
12:00	Jack Pyle	2nd Mrs. Burton	Caravan	Gagbusters
12:15	" "	Perry Mason	" "	" "
12:30	" "	Nora Drake	" "	" "
12:45	" "	Brighter Day	" "	" "
1:00	Ruth Welles	Ring Your Bell	Caravan	Tune Quiz
1:15	Toni Arden S.W.	House Party	" "	" "
1:30	Pepper Young	Rittenhouse Sq.	" "	" "
1:45	Right to Happen	" "	" "	" "
2:00	Backstage Wife	Hi Neighbor	Caravan	Cisco Kid
2:15	Stella Dallas	John Trans	" "	Heading Home
2:30	Wilder Brown	Arthur Godfrey	Caravan	Heading Home
2:45	Wm In My H'se	News and Sports Club 1210	" "	" "
3:00	Just Plain Bill	" "	" "	" "
3:15	Lorenzo Jones	" "	" "	" "
3:30	Fun For the Road	" "	" "	" "
3:45	" "	" "	" "	" "
4:00	News: Weather Here's Harvey	News: Sports	Tonight's Sports	Paul Sullivan
4:15	Jack Pyle	R. Skelton Show	Striking Sam	F.K. Brookhouse
4:30	" "	Lowell Thomas	Vandercook	Com. by Sullivan
4:45	Jack Pyle	Regio Roundup	Organ Touch	Fulton Lewis
5:00	News	Tennessee Ernie	Organ Touch	Organ Touch
5:15	" "	World Around Us	Strange Saga	Gabriel Heatter
5:30	" "	Seward Murrow	" "	Baseball Preview
5:45	" "	Arthur Godfrey	" "	" "
6:00	Dinah Shore	Digest	" "	" "
6:15	To Be Announ'd	Challenge the Champs	" "	" "
6:30	Lone Ranger	" "	" "	" "
6:45	" "	" "	" "	" "
7:00	Jazz '55	" "	" "	" "
7:15	" "	" "	" "	" "
7:30	" "	" "	" "	" "
7:45	" "	" "	" "	" "
8:00	Jazz '55	" "	" "	" "
8:15	" "	" "	" "	" "
8:30	Big Wilson	" "	" "	" "
8:45	" "	" "	" "	" "
9:00	Big Wilson	" "	" "	" "
9:15	" "	" "	" "	" "
9:30	" "	" "	" "	" "
9:45	" "	" "	" "	" "
10:00	" "	" "	" "	" "
10:15	" "	" "	" "	" "
10:30	" "	" "	" "	" "
10:45	" "	" "	" "	" "
11:00	" "	" "	" "	" "
11:15	" "	" "	" "	" "
11:30	" "	" "	" "	" "
11:45	" "	" "	" "	" "
12 p.m.	Big Wilson	" "	" "	" "

## EVENING

Hour	NBC 1060 K KYW	WCAU CBS 1210 K	WFIL ABC 560 K	WIP MBS 610 K
6:00	News: Weather Here's Harvey	News: Sports	Tonight's Sports	Paul Sullivan
6:15	Jack Pyle	R. Skelton Show	Striking Sam	F.K. Brookhouse
6:30	" "	Lowell Thomas	Vandercook	Com. by Sullivan
6:45	Jack Pyle	Regio Roundup	Organ Touch	Fulton Lewis
7:00	News	Tennessee Ernie	Organ Touch	Organ Touch
7:15	" "	World Around Us	Strange Saga	Gabriel Heatter
7:30	" "	Seward Murrow	" "	Baseball Preview
7:45	" "	Arthur Godfrey	" "	" "
8:00	Dinah Shore	Digest	" "	" "
8:15	To Be Announ'd	Challenge the Champs	" "	" "
8:30	Lone Ranger	" "	" "	" "
8:45	" "	" "	" "	" "
9:00	Jazz '55	" "	" "	" "
9:15	" "	" "	" "	" "
9:30	" "	" "	" "	" "
9:45	" "	" "	" "	" "
10:00	Jazz '55	" "	" "	" "
10:15	" "	" "	" "	" "
10:30	Big Wilson	" "	" "	" "
10:45	" "	" "	" "	" "
11:00	Big Wilson	" "	" "	" "
11:15	" "	" "	" "	" "
11:30	" "	" "	" "	" "
11:45	" "	" "	" "	" "
12 p.m.	Big Wilson	" "	" "	" "

## TODAY'S CROSSWORD PUZZLE

**ACROSS**

1. A trial
5. Bristlike part
9. Jason's ship
10. Affirm
11. Oriental nurse
12. Times
14. Mountain pass
15. Stylish
16. Ahead
17. Scuffle
19. Skin disorder
21. City, as a star
22. Melody
23. Get away (slang)
26. An elector
27. Pile
28. Conflict
29. Pen-name of Charles Lamb
30. Set upon with violence
34. Elevated train (shortened)
35. Price of passage
37. Upward curving of a ship's planking
38. Pale
40. Broad
41. A crucifix
42. Judge (Moslem community)
43. Scatters, as seed
44. Notion

**DOWN**

1. A creek
2. Spoken examinations
3. Exclamation
4. Toward
5. Hindu garment
6. Those who call up spirits
7. Denary
8. Famous forest in France
11. Division of a play
12. Exclamation
13. Scaffold
15. Edible mollusk
18. Orkney islands
20. Slice
23. Wool-bearing animals
24. Base-ments
25. Measure (Siam)
26. Receptacle for flowers
28. Division of a city
31. Apart
32. Country (Asia)
33. Lixivium
36. Helps
39. Game at cards
40. A roll of money (slang)
42. Cirrus (abbr.)

**Yesterday's Answer**

1. Lixivium  
2. Helps  
3. Game at cards  
4. A roll of money (slang)  
5. Cirrus (abbr.)

## DAILY CRYPTOQUOTE—Here's how to work it:

One letter simply stands for another. In this example A is used for the three L's, X for the two O's, etc. Single letters, apostrophes, the length and formation of the words are all hints. Each day the code letters are different.

## A Cryptogram Quotation

DLV SCRU — ALV RCZX PE BX  
ZVRTQLA — C DLVHLVJZVDD PE  
DLVVH — BVXWVRR.

Yesterday's Cryptogram: WHAT IN ME IS DARK ILLUMINE, WHAT IS LOW RAISE AND SUPPORT — MILTON.  
Distributed by King Features Syndicate

## MERRITT'S

BREAKS THE PRICE ON SUMMER FURNITURE

# Everything Reduced

SOME  
ITEMS  
AS MUCH  
AS . . . . .

# 25% OFF

### CHAIRS, SETTEES, TUBULAR FURNITURE

Redwood 20" Sawbuck Chair . . .	8.95	6.75
Redwood 40" Sawbuck Settee . . .	15.95	11.95
Redwood Easy Chair . . . . .	16.95	11.95
Adirondack Chairs—Oak . . . . .	7.74	6.25
Adirondack Settee—Oak . . . . .	12.97	9.95
Bench—Oak . . . . .	11.97	9.45
Adirondack Chair—Oak . . . . .	11.97	9.45
Adirondack Settee—Oak . . . . .	11.97	14.95
Folding Adirondack Chairs—Pine . .	7.95	5.95
6 M-153 Hickory Fibre Chairs . . .	9.95	7.95
23 M-629 Yacht Chairs . . . . .	3.95	2.95
2 M-631 Yacht Chairs—Green . . .	6.95	5.25
2 M-631 Yacht Chairs—Red . . .	6.95	5.25

### BARBECUE & PICNIC FURNISHINGS

25 No. 3060 Picnic Set— Knotty Pine—5'-0" . . .	18.95	13.95
2 No. 4596 Redwood Rustic Bar-B-Q—8'-0" . . . . .	41.50	32.95
7 No. 5572 Redwood Standard Bar-B-Q—6'-0" . . . . .	36.75	29.45
2 No. 6596 Redwood DeLuxe Bar-B-Q—8'-0" . . . . .	55.95	42.50
18 M-30 Redwood Rustic Bar-B-Q—5'-0" . . . . .	27.50	19.97
6 M-66 Redwood Bar-B-Q Set 1'-4'-6" . . .	19.95	14.95

All Sales Final.

Stock Listed, Subject to Prior Sale

ALL REMAINING ARBORS, TRELLISES, GATE AND MISCELLANEOUS

PAINTED WHITE ITEMS 25% OFF

# MERRITT'S

MERRITT LUMBER YARDS, Inc.

233 High St., Pottstown W. High St., Stowe  
PHONE 4300 PHONE 3550



## Royersford Officer Assigned to Germany

Col. Lloyd E. Johnson Jr., U. S. Air corps, Royersford native and son of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Johnson Sr., Second avenue and Myrtle street, has been assigned to duty in Germany.

Colonel and Mrs. Johnson and children, Patricia and Lloyd 3d, will sail Wednesday from New York aboard the U. S. S. General Rose for Weisbaden. The colonel, a West Point graduate, recently graduated from the Army Industrial school, Washington, D. C. He will be attached to the USAF headquarters in Europe as chief of the Logistics plans office for Deputy Chief of Staff Materiel. They will remain in Germany three years.

**It's Easy To Keep COOL WHEN YOU SHOP at JERRY'S MARKET**

326-32 BRIDGE STREET PHOENIXVILLE

OPEN THURS. & FRI. NIGHTS UNTIL 9 P. M.

## Twin-Boro Classified

**Notice 7-A**

WHITE'S BARBER SHOP  
345 Main St., Royersford, now open for business JACK WHITE, Prop.

**We Can Do It**

Alfalfa Hay and Straw For Sale, post hole digging, grading, ditch digging, footings and French drains, SIMON The Plowman, Ph. Royersford 452-N.

Everything in Freezer Supplies, containers 3c each G. T. McKISSIC & SON, Phone Royersford 35

Painting and Paperhanging, estimates given, B. Roy Keen, 359 Bridge street, Spring City, Phone Royersford 753.

Don Rogers, roofing and painting, New roofs a specialty, can arrange financing 36 months to pay, 813 Oak St., Royersford, Phone 154.

**Help Wanted — Male 33**

WATCHMAN WANTED

ROYERSFORD NEEDLEWORKS

Male Help Wanted

Apply

SNOW WHITE BLEACHERY

Royersford

**Farm-Dairy Products 52**

Yellow or green string beans, 2 lb. 20c; \$1.50 a basket by order. Beets—Cabbage—Onions. CLOUDEN'S, Parkerford, Linfield 2043.

**Unfurnished Apartments 68**

APARTMENT—3 rooms, all utilities furnished. Apply O. H. Moyer, 3d Ave. and Main, Royersford, Phone 225

**Automobiles for Sale 92**

TYSON MOTOR CO. Phone 472  
Good reconditioned late model used cars, also good 39 to 46 models

## FISHER

MAIN ST. SOUDERTON

OPEN DAILY 'TIL 9 P. M.

FOR DISTINCTIVE

TOP QUALITY . . .

NAME BRAND

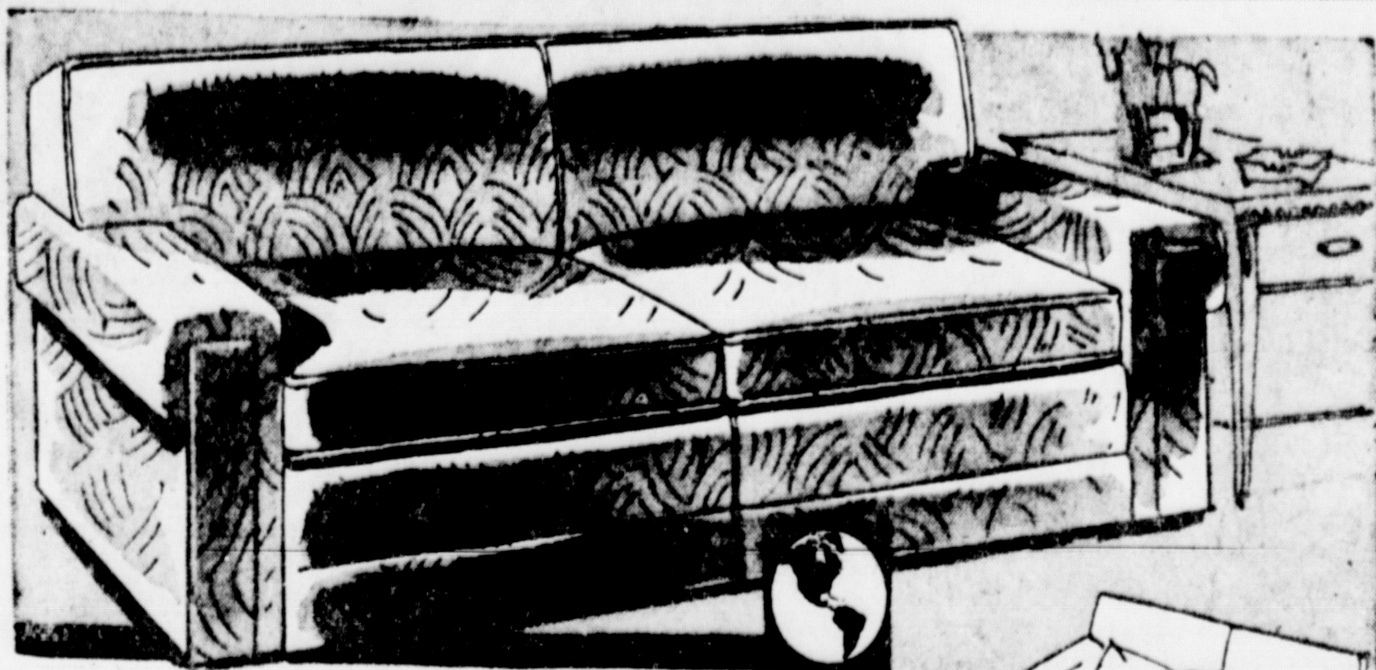
FURNITURE . . .

VISIT FISHER'S



# Block's

## WELCOME BUYS for the HOME AT SAVINGS YOU CAN'T IGNORE!

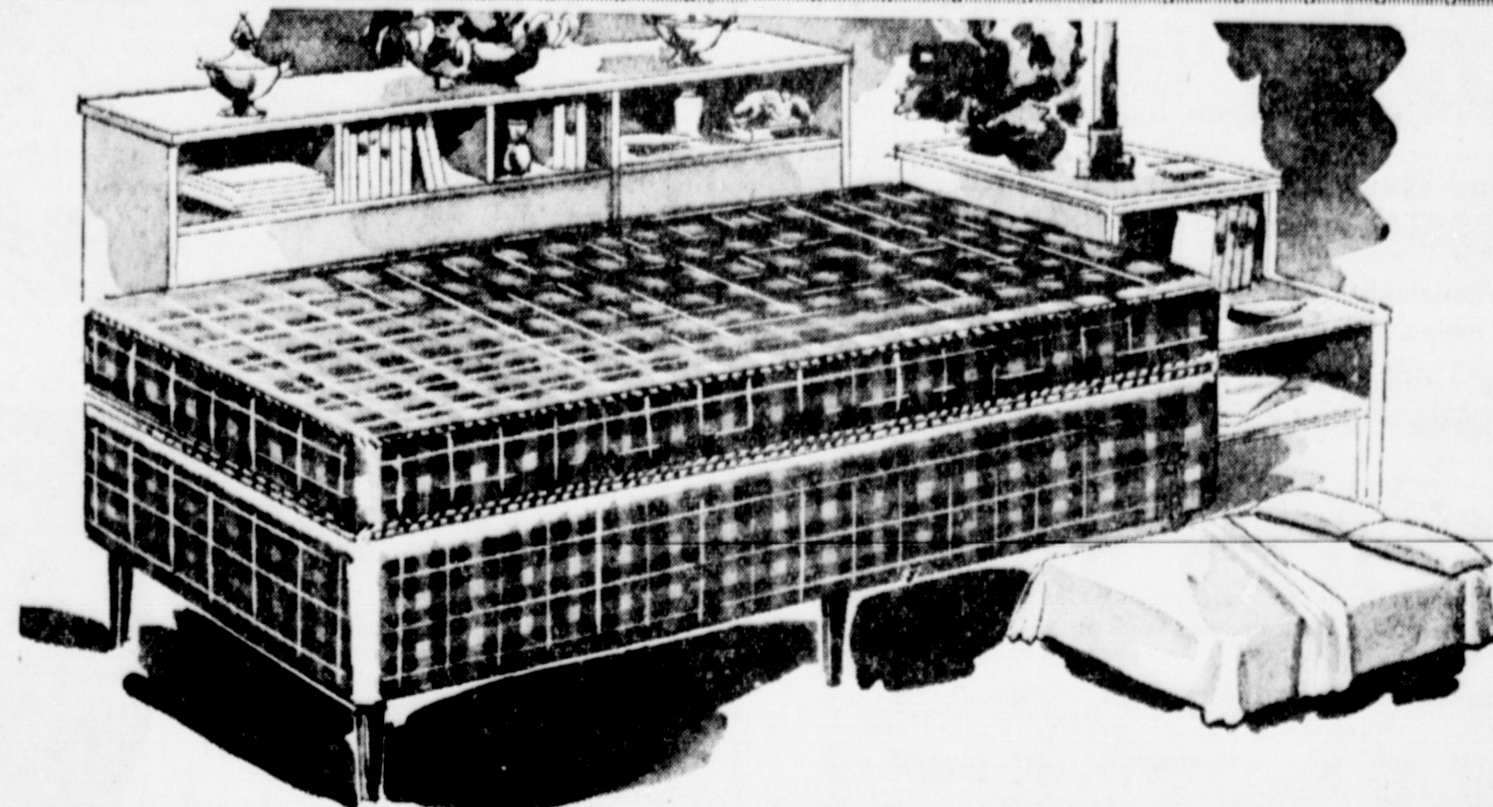
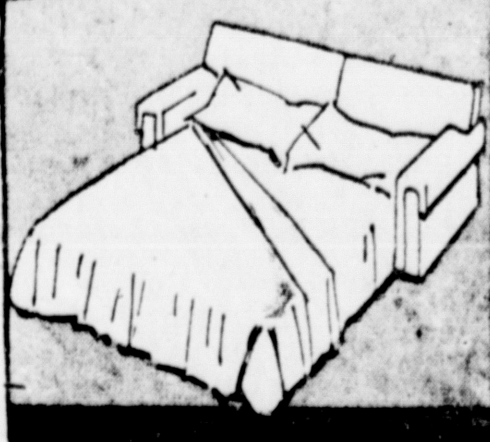


International Furniture

### The New "International" Dav-n-Bed

Here is the bed of your dreams... the wonderful new International Dav-n-Bed, a handsomely styled sofa by day—a luxurious full-size bed by night! Supported in the center for added comfort, the fine new mattress lets you sleep relaxed, awake refreshed. Notice the smart trim lines; the handsome decorator approved fabric—here is fashionable styling at a price you can afford to pay. A joy to see, a treasure to own... the new International Dav-n-Bed. Come see it, today!

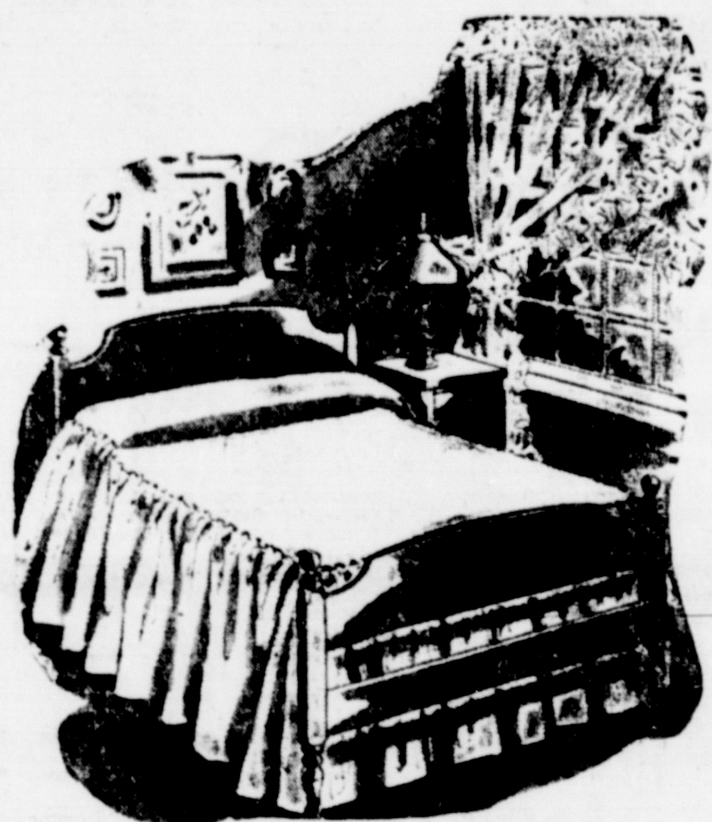
Regular \$249

**\$168**


### FOAM RUBBER SLEEP SOFA DIVAN

Think of the dozens of places you could use this smart sleep-sofa right now! In club cellar, guest room, living room, or closed porch! Blissful sleeping comfort for one—sitting comfort for three! Big 30" x 74" size. 4½" 100% pure foam latex. Covered in smart denim plaid, with modern tapered legs.

Usually \$89.95

**\$69.95**


### Maple or Mahogany Bed Outfit in Your Choice of Twin or Full Size

Semi-Poster Bed—Complete with a famous Honorbilt Mattress and Coil Spring. This is a great buy, the bed is ruggedly constructed and the Bedding all comes from a famous maker.

Twin Size } **\$49.95**  
at the low price of

Full Size } **\$59.95**  
at the low price of

**Valued At \$75.00**

Open a Block Budget Account

Make a Small Down Payment

And Pay the Balance in Weekly or Monthly Payments



### OLD-FASHIONED value

designed for you  
who love modern...  
built with Mengel's  
proven craftsmanship

*Corvette*  
by Mengel

You'll love this newest of Mengel's famous Permanized bedroom suites in Moonstone Mahogany, cool and grey... finely designed for all who love the graceful lines of modern furniture... plus the craftsmanship of truly fine furniture. So spacious... without seeming to be... with such deep roomy drawers. At a price to please the family bookkeeper!

### Double Dresser and Bookcase Bed

Regularly \$229.95 **\$159.95**

Chest of Drawers } **\$59.95**  
Regularly \$69.95

Triple Dresser } **\$119.95**  
Regularly \$149.95

Night Table } **\$34.95**  
Regularly \$39.95

Panel Bed } **\$32.95**  
Regularly \$39.95

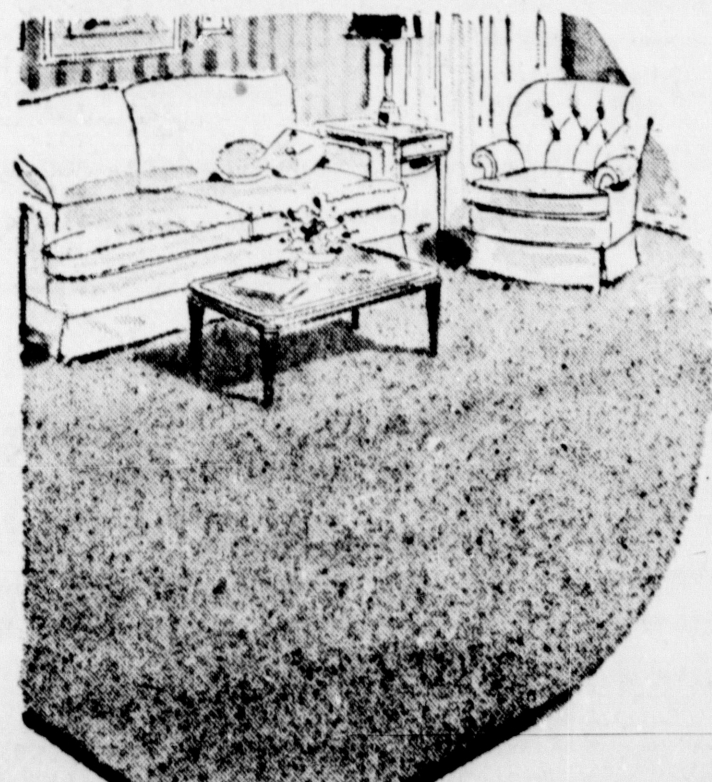
### Visit Our Floor Covering Department

With the largest stock of Broadloom Rugs, Linoleums and Linoleum Rugs in the county. Bring your floor covering problems to us. Our experts will be glad to assist you in solving them. Block's Carpet tailors are experts in wall-to-wall installations. Call 3010 for free estimates.

### "MOHAWK" 3-PLY ALL WOOL TWIST BROADLOOM

Here is the finest in quality in an all-wool twist broadloom. Comes in your choice of Grey, Rose, Green or Beige.

Regular 14.95 Sq. Yd.

**\$10.95** Sq. Yd.


### OUTDOOR GRILL

A large, quality grill at a volume price. Rust-resistant aluminum clad body and hood. Dramatic painted tubular legs. Steel firebox with "Ezy-Feed" Hi-Lo grid adjustment... lift, dump in coals... then set to wanted height for best cooking. Plated grid 20"x16". Rubber tired 6" wheels. Also included: Aluminum pot, hardwood cutting board, hand spit and stand. Overall dimensions 42" x 18" x 32".

Regular 24.95

**\$19.95**

No Deposit  
With a  
**BLOCK**  
**CHARGE**  
**ACCOUNT**

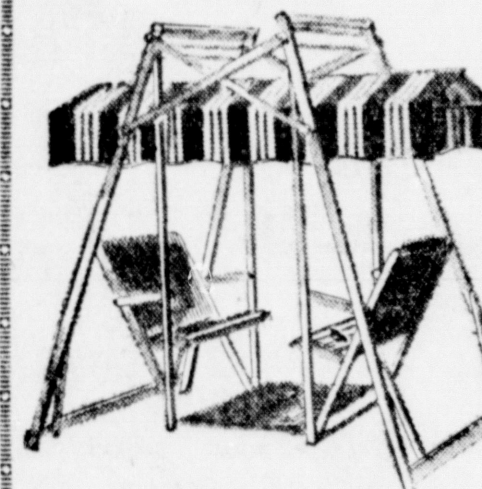
### Big Play Pool

42 x 66 Plastic Pool—steel framed—with geyser type shower. No sharp edges—rounded corners—give the youngsters a thrill—Only

**\$14.95**


### 4-SEAT LAWN SWING

Summer time—and the living is wonderful, when you relax in the comfort of this colorful Lawn Swing—Constructed to withstand years of steady use. Canopy extra.

**\$39.88**


### Aluminum Folding Chair

LIGHT, STURDY—FOLDS FOR EASY STORING

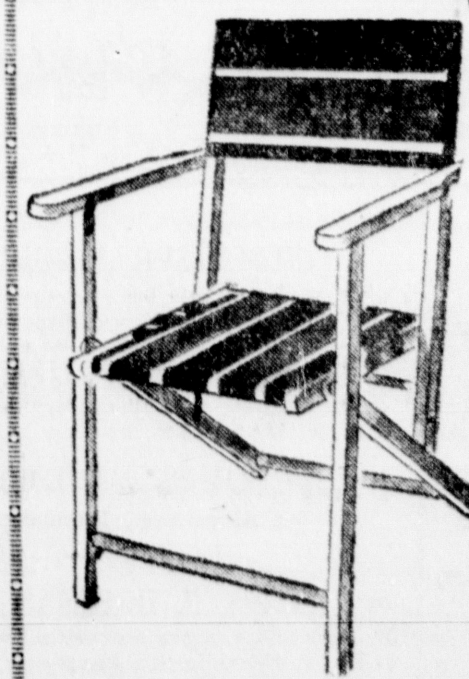
**\$5.98**

- Mirror-Gleam Finish
- Posture Styling
- Comfort Engineering
- Finger-Touch Folding
- Nylon Bearings
- Saran Seat and Back



### Sturdy Folding Yacht Chair **\$3.95**

A comfortable rigidly constructed chair that will yield long satisfactory service. The built-in reinforced seat is tailored in attractive multi-colored striped canvas with a varnished Northern Hardwood frame.



**BLOCKS... Pottstown's Oldest and Largest Leading Home Furnishers Since 1884... Open Tonite 'Till 9 P.M.**



# SLOW DOWN AND LIVE!

**T**HIS is a preview of mass mayhem and murder. At 6:13 o'clock tonight, give or take a few seconds, there'll be a screech of brakes, a sickening impact, agonized shrieks, then silence.

Death will have come to one John Q. Motorist, And/or his wife and children.

Their barely-begun Independence Day weekend outing will be done.

And every 10 minutes, somewhere in America, the scene will be repeated. The annual carnival of carnage will be in full swing.

From sundown Friday to midnight Monday an estimated 430 bodies will be strewn on the nation's roads.

Thousands will be in hospitals, some crippled for life.

A grim picture. But it might include you.

## The Ghastly History

In 50 years, traffic murder has claimed more than twice the total of U. S. soldiers killed in two World Wars and in Korea.

Why this rush to destruction?

Traffic experts have no answer. Psychologists call it Motor Mania but can't explain it.

Insurance companies, safety organizations come up with these incongruities:

More than 90 percent of vehicles involved in accidents are in good condition.

Curves are no more hazardous than straight-aways.

Weather is a comparatively negligible factor. Three out of four accidents occur in clear weather.

## The Man at the Wheel

What of the human factor?

The speed maniac driving breakneck from sheer impulse. The drunken driver, foot heavy on accelerator. The road-hog, willfully abusive of highway etiquette. "Hot rod" enthusiasts, their jalopies horse-powered into juggernauts. Inept, physically unfit drivers who never should have been given licenses.

Analysis reveals that in most cases, the guilty party is man, not machine; mind, not motor.

And for the future? The long view is frightening.

Traffic engineers predict another million deaths in the next 20 years.

More immediate concern is how many citizens will be carried from highway to cemetery this weekend.

It's up to you—behind the wheel. Death may be your backseat driver.

## HERE'S WHY IT HAPPENS

**T**HE head-on collision, the curve missed, the helpless skid on wet pavement.

Here are the chief reasons why 100 lives are lost every day on U. S. roads:

**Speed:**—The No. 1 Killer. Nearly three out of ten drivers are breaking speed laws when they start themselves—or someone else—on the trip to eternity. Safety experts define speed as driving too fast for conditions, whether it be 35 or 70 miles an hour.

**Alcohol:**—In 23 out of 100 fatal accidents, the driver or pedestrian is befogged by drink. That rate is climbing.

**Physical defects:**—One out of 17 drivers in highway fatalities is physically handicapped. Principal defects: poor hearing, bad vision.

**Vehicle condition:**—Six per cent of all vehicles in death cases last year had one or more unsafe features. Chiefly, faulty brakes, tires, lights.

**Vision obstruction:**—One out of eight fatal accidents occurs when driver's vision is obscured by rain or snow on windshield, other cars, trees, etc.



**Weather:**—1954 reports from 20 states list rain, snow or fog in one out of six fatal accidents.

**Road conditions:**—In one out of five death crashes last year, roads were wet, muddy, snowy or icy. Bumps, holes in highways caused one out of 15.

### Toll Like War

**WORLD WAR II—**  
293,986 dead,  
670,846 injured.

**KOREAN WAR—**  
33,237 dead,  
103,376 injured.

**HIGHWAY (1949-53) —** 180,064 dead, 6,300,000 injured.

## A Design for Living While Driving

**A** SICKNESS hangs over America's streets and highways.  
**Diagnosis: Avoidable accidents.**

Whether the patient will live is entirely up to him.



Here, gathered from top U. S. safety experts, is advice that may save your life, keep you out of the hospital:

**Drive only at safe speeds.** Weather, road and car conditions set the safety limits.

**Don't ride the bumper of the car ahead.** Keep from three to nine-car lengths behind, depending on speed.

**Pass only on level straight road, never on hills or curves.** Never pass at intersections.

**Signal by hand as well as electrical device when making turns.**

**Obeey road signs—like the one shown here.**

**Give driving your undivided attention.** Ignore the blonde in the opposite lane.

**Concede right of way even if driver is violating courtesy rules.**

**Reduce speed at night when travel is deadlier.** Two-thirds of traffic deaths occur after dark.

**Lower beams for approaching vehicles—even if other driver doesn't lower his.**

**Watch for pedestrians—especially at night, nearly half of pedestrian deaths occur between 6 p. m. and midnight.**

**Remember, the pedestrian always has the right-of-way.**

**If you're sleepy pull off the highway and nap.**

**Try not to drive when emotionally upset.** If you have an argument with the wife stop until you cool off.

**Keep your windshields and windows clean.** Dirty glass cuts down visibility.

**In fog, use low headlight beams and keep right side of road as guide.**

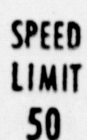
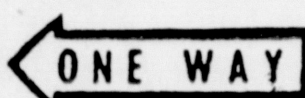
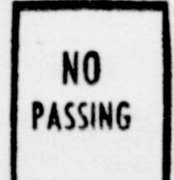
**Avoid sudden stops.** The driver behind may be riding your tail.

**Slow down at intersections even on a through street.** Drivers on cross street may ignore stop signs.

**If car slips onto soft shoulder let engine, not brakes cut speed to crawl before you get on road again.**

**Stop and investigate if you smell something burning.**

Source material for this page was obtained from the National Safety Council, Automobile Manufacturers Association, Automotive Safety Foundation and the Travelers and Metropolitan Insurance Companies.



Cars can turn into infernos in seconds.

**If car skids, turn wheels slightly in direction of skid.** Don't jam brakes. Use pumping action in pedal.

**Use horn conservatively.** It may upset other drivers, cause them to strike you or someone else.

**Pull away from curbs slowly and gradually.** Look behind before you do.

## If You're Walking

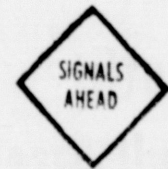
**M**ORE than 6,000 of the 8,600 pedestrians killed last year were violating safety rules. These hints may save lives:

**Wait on curb for signal, cross only at intersections.** Don't jaywalk.

**Never step into roadway from between parked cars.**

**Look carefully after getting off bus or trolley.**

**Watch for cars turning.**



## Better Highways Would Help a Lot

Outmoded highways, paralyzing congestion, traffic bottlenecks form motorist death-traps, are instrumental in the rising rate of automotive killings.

U. S. Roads are far behind the pace of car production. Millions of tax dollars from gasoline, other highway user taxes, originally intended for roads are spent elsewhere.

Here are sample quotes from traffic experts:

**James Cope, vice president, Chrysler Corp:** "For more than two decades we have failed to replace outworn roads and provide for expanded traffic at a fast enough rate... because of this it costs far more today to tolerate unsafe highways than it would cost to finance a road system."

**Norman Damon, Automotive Safety Foundation:** "As a nation we're paying far more in blood and dollars than it would cost to provide safer roads. Last year alone traffic accidents cost 3.75 billion dollars."

## Those Deadly Holiday Weekends

Before each holiday weekend, the National safety Council estimates the number who will die on the highways.

A macabre prediction, sometimes pessimistic, generally pretty accurate. Here is the grim score totted up in the past five years.

Memorial Day			July 4th			Labor Day		
Estimated	Actual		Estimated	Actual		Estimated	Actual	
1950	290	347	385	300		383	389	
1951	110	84 (2 days)	130	105 (2 days)		390	461	
1952	310	365	430	366		432	480	
1953	240	241 (2 days)	290	261 (2 days)		440	405	
1954	340	362 (3 days)	430	348 (3 days)		390	364	(3 days)

### The faster you go, the longer it takes to stop.

M.P.H.	REACTION DISTANCE (Getting feet on brake pedal)	BRAKING DISTANCE	TOTAL
30	10	10	20
40	16	24	40
50	25	41	66

**ROY BINDER AGENCY**  
Insurance  
311 High Street Phone 544

**BOYERTOWN OIL CO., INC.**  
Gasoline, Kerosene, Fuel, Motor Oil  
220 S. Reading Ave., Boyertown Ph. 7-2356

**SEARS, ROEBUCK & CO.**  
232 High St., Pottstown  
Phone 2270

**CRUISIN' CRUSADERS, INC.**  
The Sport of Hot Rodding  
Dedicated to Safety

**CHARLES DAMPMAN**  
Oil, Coal, Purina Feed  
Kimberton Ph. Phoenixville 4859  
Douglassville Ph. Pottstown 1807

**GILBERTSVILLE BODY SHOP**  
Auto Body Repairing  
Gilbertsville. Phone Boyertown 7-2474

**JOHN B. HARTENSTINE, Jr., INC.**  
Distributor — Mobilgas, Mobilheat, Mobiloil  
63 W. High St. Ph. 2190

**HARP'S AUTO BODY**  
348 Kline Ave., Hanover Heights  
Ph. Pottstown 1216

**FRANK E. HOFFMAN & SON**  
All Types Automotive Work  
316 N. Franklin St., Pottstown Ph. 419

**POTTSTOWN COLD STORAGE & WAREHOUSE CO.**  
Charlotte & Water Sts., Pottstown Ph. 32

**NOTTLE AUTO PARTS, INC.**  
416-418 Chestnut St., Pottstown  
Phone 631

**PENNSBURG AUTO BODY SHOP**  
Railroad Ave., Pennsburg  
Ph. Pennsburg 7316

**PETO'S BODY SHOP**  
M. J. Peto  
221 Lemon St., Stowe Ph. Potts. 7470

**POTTSTOWN AUTOMOBILE CLUB**  
135 High St., Pottstown  
Phone 2675

**POTTSTOWN MOTORS, INC.**  
Cadillac — Pontiac  
22 High St., Pottstown Ph. 2460

**POTTSTOWN AUTO REFINISHING COMPANY**  
927 High St., Pottstown  
Phone 2552

**M. E. MCHENRY**  
Distributor Gulf Oil Products  
Old Reading Pike, Stowe  
Ph. Pottstown 1258

**PRINCE'S BAKERY**  
113 S. Washington St., Pottstown  
Phone 9294

**CONRAD'S BODY & FENDER SERV.**  
Complete Auto & Truck Refinishing  
Gilbertsville RD 1, Pa.  
Our New Telephone Number is  
Boyertown 7-4966.

**J. R. SOTTER**  
Travelers Insurance  
Security Trust Bldg., Pottstown Ph. 734

**STORB'S TRAVEL SERVICE**  
Never A Service Charge  
365 High St., Pottstown Ph. 4100

**TYSON INSURANCE AGENCY**  
Insurance  
213 High St., Pottstown Ph. 1010

**JOHN R. YOUNG & CO.**  
Gasoline, Fuel Oil, Pennzoi  
Hendricks Ph. Haywood 2351

**WARNER AUTO REFINISHING CO.**  
N. Charlotte St., Pottstown  
Phone 2851



## Emmanuel Lutheran Church Cub Pack Holds Skating Party, Issues Awards

More than 180 persons attended the skating party of Cub Scout pack 53 of Emmanuel Lutheran church at Ringing Rocks park the past Tuesday.

The regular monthly meeting was combined with the party and parents of the cubs voted to participate in an insurance plan which would cover all cub scouts during their outdoor activities.

Specifically, den mothers, committeemen, and all adult officials involved would individually bear their own premiums. One hundred percent subscription of the group is required to have the insurance plan adopted.

Another highlight of the evening was the presentation of awards by Maurice Kurtz to four dens in the pack for 100 percent attendance of cub scouts at their weekly meetings during May.

her den in scouting activities.

CLARENCE KURTZ and Stanley Davidheiser received wolf badges for completing one year of cub scouting and James Boyer received his bear badge for completing two years of cub work.

Ronald Kurtz and James Geiger were awarded a lion's badge for completing three years work and gold arrows for service.

Giger and James Fritsch were awarded silver arrows for completing elective assignments not required for basic cub scouting.

A final award went to den five and its mother, Mrs. Manthorne, for having the best parental attendance for meetings of the pack during May. It marked the 15th consecutive month that the den received that particular award.

The presentation of the awards was followed by a wiener roast around a campfire in the park. Mr.

## Meter Receipts Total \$1080 for Week

The parking meter receipts for the week ending yesterday amounted to \$1080.90.

As is the case every two weeks, all the meters in the borough were emptied for yesterday's tally.

Last week when some of the meters on the back street were skipped, the total came to \$964.84. Two weeks ago, it was \$1016.85.

U. S. CHARGES RED BUILDUP

WASHINGTON, June 30 (AP)—The State department charged today the Communist regime in Northern Indochina is flagrantly violating the Geneva armistice agreement by doubling its army with equipment sent from the Soviet bloc via Communist China.

and Mrs. Harold Fisher, chairmen for the monthly meeting, supervised it.

## Trinity Reformed Church Choirs Held Swimming Party, Picnic at Park

Members of the Junior and Chapel choir of Trinity Reformed church gathered at Sunnybrook park on Wednesday for a swimming party and picnic.

Dorothy Sutton, choir director, planned and sponsored the outing. She was assisted by William R. Banks, adult adviser to the two choral groups.

Activities included swimming games and a picnic supper for parents and children in the evening.

It was announced at the picnic that vestments ordered for each choral group will arrive soon and be ready for use at an early service. Fifty new vestments will be provided for members of the two choirs by members of the Amicus class, of which Mrs. John B. Frantz is teacher. The vestment committee includes Mrs. Robert Heffner Jr., Mrs. A. Erwin Colver, Mrs.

Chapel choir attended: Patricia Pennypacker, Judith Kulp, Marjorie Miller, May Miller, Gloria Dunlap, Carolyn Mutter, Suzanne O'Keefe, Alice Leuthold, James Bertoli, Ilona Bertoli, John Bertoli, Harry White, John Binefield, Joan Warner, and Patricia White.

The following parents attended and assisted in the activities: Mrs. A. Erwin Colver, Mrs. Calvin D. Hoss, Mrs. Bernice H. Dunlap, Mr. and Mrs. Robert S. Heffner Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd D. Klink Jr., Mrs. Ernest Mutter and Mr. Howard L. J. Stauffer.

Call The Mercury with newists.

**Synagog**  
Congregational Mercy and Truth, Dr. Emil Schorsch, rabbi. Today, service, 8 p. m., tomorrow, service, 9 a. m.; Sunday, services, 8 a. m. and 10 minutes before sundown; Monday through Thursday, daily services, 7:30 a. m.

## EAT BETTER FOR LESS!

Join the KEISER AMANA FREEZER FOOD PLAN

of C. J. KEISER CO.

Your Frigidaire Dealer  
22-24 N. Washington St.  
Phone 2516-2517

**OPEN** Daily 9 to 9 P. M.  
Sunday 1 to 5 P. M.  
RETAIL FURNITURE AT WHOLESALE PRICES

# FREESE

FURNITURE COMPANY  
N STATE STREET, POTTSTOWN, PA. PHONE 6510

## Boys' Heavy Quality DENIM JEANS

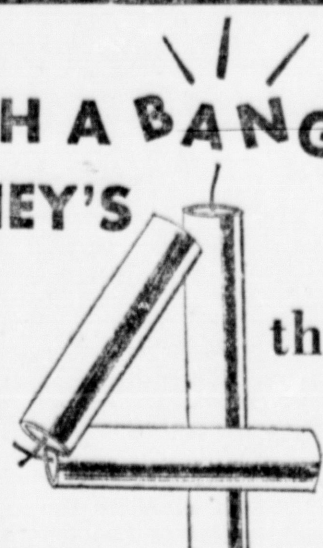
- SIZES 4 to 12
- Heavy Zipper Fly
  - 4 Pockets
  - Sanforized

# 1.00

## PENNEY'S ALWAYS FIRST QUALITY!

# BARGAINS for the 4th!

GET SET WITH A BANG!  
SHOP PENNEY'S



## Cool Summer-Weight MEN'S PANTS

FOR WORK—"DO-IT-YOURSELF" PROJECTS—LEISURE

- Zipper Fly Front
- Cool Vat-dyed Poplin
- Sanforized

# 2.00



Penney's Travel-Cool®  
**WASH and WEAR**  
Orlon®-Nylon Cords

# 25.00

You get heat wave comfort plus hand washability!

ONE SUIT,  
TOTAL WEIGHT  
... JUST 20 OUNCES!

Easy to wash...dry in a jiff...may be worn with minimum ironing! That's the story of the coolest, lightest, most comfortable and most practical hot weather suit we've ever sold! Even the trimmings (shoulder pads, linings, canvas, pockets) are either Dacron® or nylon! That's why these suits are super-lightweight and hand washable! Drip-dry them on hangers...see how wonderfully well they hold their shape! 2-button "Drake" model in 5 colors. Sizes 35-46.

## CULOTTES

Gale and Lord's fine Combed Baby Cord. Sanforized for perfect fit!

# 3.98

Women's Top Value

## SWIM SUITS 4.98 to 8.90

For Going-A-Way Or At Home!

## GOWNS and PANTY SETS

- Dainty—cool—comfortable Rayon Tricot Knit.
- Small—Medium—Large Sizes.

# 2.98

Attractive New Comfortable

## ROMPER PAJAMAS

- You'll want several pairs of these cool Sleeping Pajamas.

# 1.98

## VERY SPECIAL!

JUST IN TIME FOR THE 4th

## PENNEY'S DO IT AGAIN! COOL SUMMER DRESSES

# 2.77

REGULAR AND HALF SIZES

Sheer Cool Rayon  
Bemborgs—Nylon  
Sheers and  
Lovely Cottons.

FEATURED!



## NOW NEW LOW PRICE 98c pr.

EXCITINGLY NEW!  
**THE LITTLE GAYMODE WITH THE BIG S-T-R-E-T-C-H...**

GLAMOUR-SHEER NYLONS THAT CLING TO THE SHAPE OF YOUR LEG—NEVER-EVER BAG, SAG OR WRINKLE!

# 98c pair

Better than "custom made", Penney's sheer stretchable Gaymode nylons mold to your legs, follow every curve and hollow like a second skin. Seams stay in place...never twist, never turn. And these Gaymodes are gloriously sheer, too. Find them in Gals, a shade you'll love. Sizes Midge, Norm and Long, to fit every leg perfectly. Penney Quality is your Greatest Saving!

Prove it yourself...it pays to shop at Penney's

Here's A Buy for the Holiday!

Prove it yourself...it pays to shop at Penney's

## Boys' Fine Quality Swim Trunks

- WANTED STYLES 10 to 18 years

# 1.98

## Jr. Boys' Size Swim Trunks

- A REAL VALUE Others to 1.79

# 98c

## Boys' Sharp New POLOS

OTHERS 79c to 1.49

# 1.98

## Boys' Kakhi FATIGUE PANTS

Just what the boy wants for play

# 1.75

## Davy Crockett Sports Shirts

COLORFUL—NEW—ATTRACTIVE!

# 1.49

## For Camp or Play! Khaki Shorts

Boys love these New, Cool, Comfortable Shorts

# 1.98

## GIRLS' SPORT DENIM JEANS

- BOXER STYLE
- Sanforized Shrink

# 59c

Junior Girls' Play and

## SWIM SUITS

- For the little Miss who wishes to be in correct style

# 1.98

Jr. Girls' Mix Match

## SPORT SETS

MIDRIFF 98c  
SHORTS 1.29  
BRITCHES 1.49

## Men's Twill or Denim WALKING SHORTS

Cool for Work—Leisure or Play. Featured!

# 2.98

## Men's Orlon-Nylon Wash Pants

- Cool; need little if any pressing

# 5.90

## Cool - Comfortable Sport Shirts

- An outstanding selection
- VALUE PRICED

# 1.49

## Men's Boxer-Top Sport Slacks

Ideal for leisure wear or work. Two fabrics: DENIM or TWILL

# 2.98

## 100% Dacron Sport Shirts

- Sheer—Cool—Need No Ironing

# 2.49

## Men's Attractive Sport Coats

- New wanted fabric
- Cool for summer

# 8.00

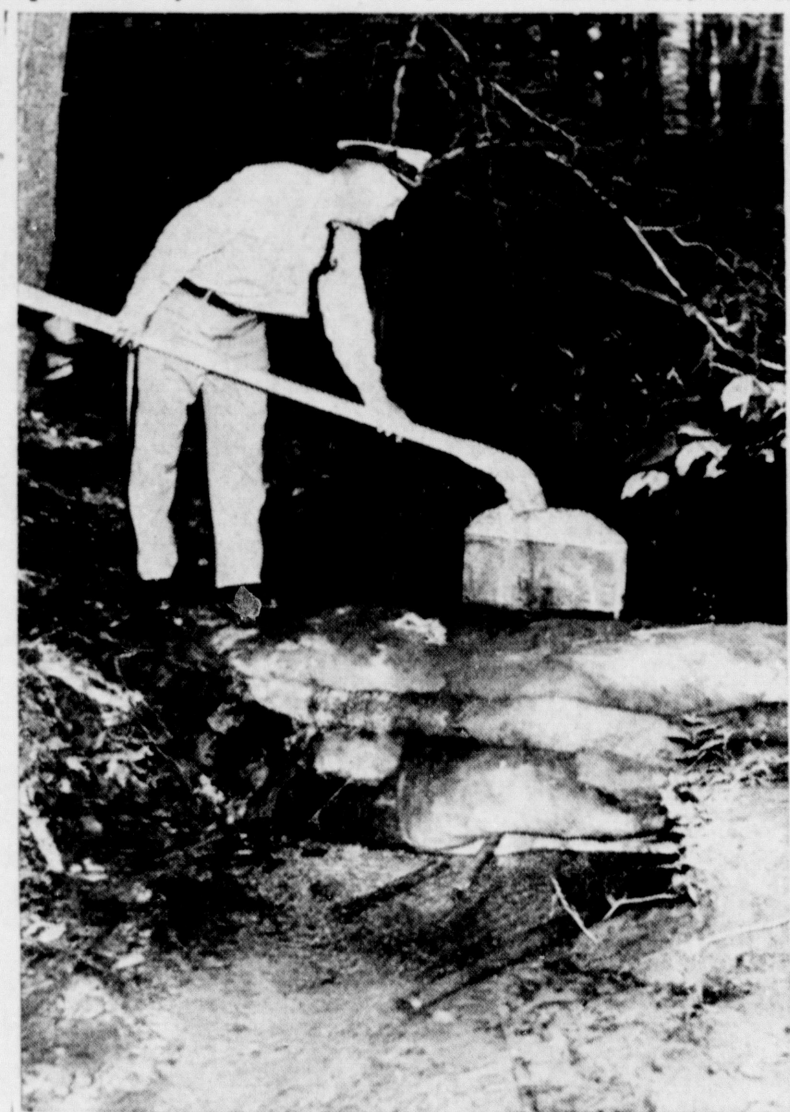




**'STEAM PLANT' AT STILL**—South Coventry Constable Howard G. "Sox" Seibold examines the "boiler" which produces steam needed to make whiskey. The drum, foreground, contained fuel for the fire. The wall around the boiler was cemented. (Story on Page 1).



**HAULING AWAY EVIDENCE**—Police Chief Daniel Guldin and Seibold haul three gallons of 105-proof whiskey from the elaborate still. The barrels were later smashed by the two men.



**AUTOMOTIVE TOUCH**—Chief Guldin examines the automobile radiator that was used as a cooling device to condense the steam into liquid alcohol. The moonshiners dammed up the narrow creek with dirt-filled sandbags.

### Man Punctures Finger While Razing Mill

A 19-year-old workman punctured the ring finger of his right hand with a nail yesterday morning while helping to tear down the old feed mill at Third and Hanover streets.

The workman, John Bechtel Jr., 641 North Evans street, was treated in the dispensary at Pottstown hospital at 9 a. m.

He told hospital attendants that he punctured his finger when he picked up a loose board in which the nail was imbedded.

Bechtel is employed by the Charles I. Stout contracting firm.

### Mercantile Bureau Plans Get-Together in July

Pottstown merchants will forego their early-in-July mercantile bureau meeting, Chairman Harold Wolf announced yesterday, in favor of a rousing end-of-the-month get-together.

Wolfe said the merchants will meet July 21, combining the regular July and August meetings.

Executive committee of the group will meet July 21 to draw up a rousing program for the event, Wolfe said.

### ALUMINUM CHAISE



Regular \$29.95  
SPECIALLY PRICED  
**\$22.50**

A CHAISE YOU WILL LIVE IN ALL SUMMER AND THE PRICES ARE LOWEST AT

the  
**kappes**  
wayside furniture house

4th at state — easy terms

### Bible School Ends In Glen Moore

GLEN MOORE—Mrs. Francis Hogan, corr. Del. Edwin Kurtz, Phone Pottstown 5238-W.

Closing exercises for the Glen Moore vacation Bible school were held in the local Methodist church on Friday evening. The school was operated by both the Methodist and Presbyterian churches headed by the Rev. Gordon N. Craig, pastor of the Methodist church, and Robert E. Rea, pastor of Fairview Presbyterian church.

There were 120 enrolled and 73 received perfect attendance certificates. Mrs. Dorothy Harple was director and was assisted by the following: Mrs. Vivian Piersol, Mrs. Frieda Johnson, Charlotte Davis, Margaret Miller, Mrs. Jean Snyder, Mrs. Esther Mac Dougal, Dorothy Simmers, Sandy Snyder, Mrs. Kitty Chandler, Mrs. Jean Barnes, Alice Snyder, Betty Klemmian, Dolores Simmers, June Ayres, Jean Miller, Dorothy Kerstetter, Mrs. Taylor and Mary Kelly.

Your A&P Super Market at...  
**367 HIGH ST.**  
Pottstown, Pa.

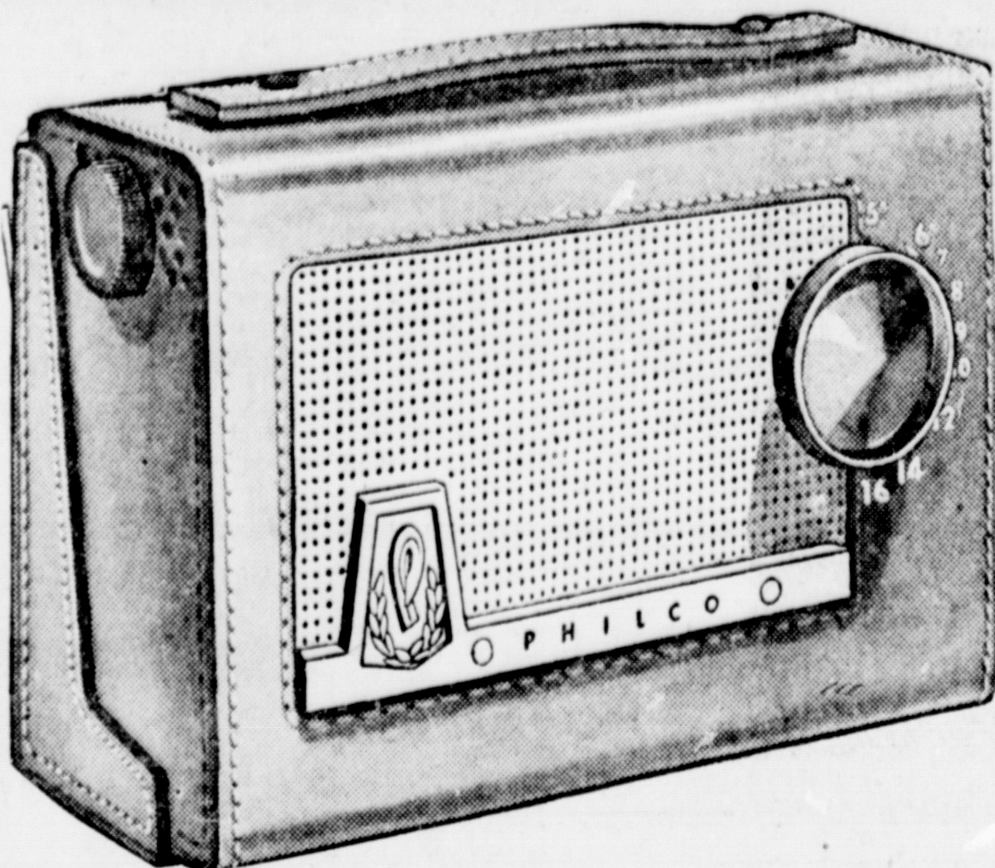
Is Now **OPEN TUESDAY**  
Well as Thursday Until

**9 P. M.**

FRIDAY NIGHT

Until **10 P. M.**

# FOR THE HOLIDAY



## S-P-E-C-I-A-L

Emerson Portable Radio

**\$19<sup>88</sup>**

First Time At This Low Price!

Limited quantity . . . hurry! Enjoy a portable for July 4th. Batteries additional. See our big stock of portables on sale at low prices.

NO DOWN PAYMENT

PAY ONLY \$1.00 WEEKLY

Biggest Portable Radio Selection in Pottstown  
**PHILCO! MOTOROLA! ZENITH! EMERSON!**

**ARNELL** RADIO DEPT.



## 14 PIECE KODAK

Brownie Hawkeye Flash Camera

**\$9<sup>88</sup>**

Regular 13.95

**\$1.00 WEEKLY**

### SALE OF FILM

#127 Film } Reg. 29c  
#120 Film }  
#620 Film } Reg. 48c

3-Roll Pkg.  
Reg. \$1.20

**29c**

**79c**

## Color Camera

For Thrilling Holiday Pictures

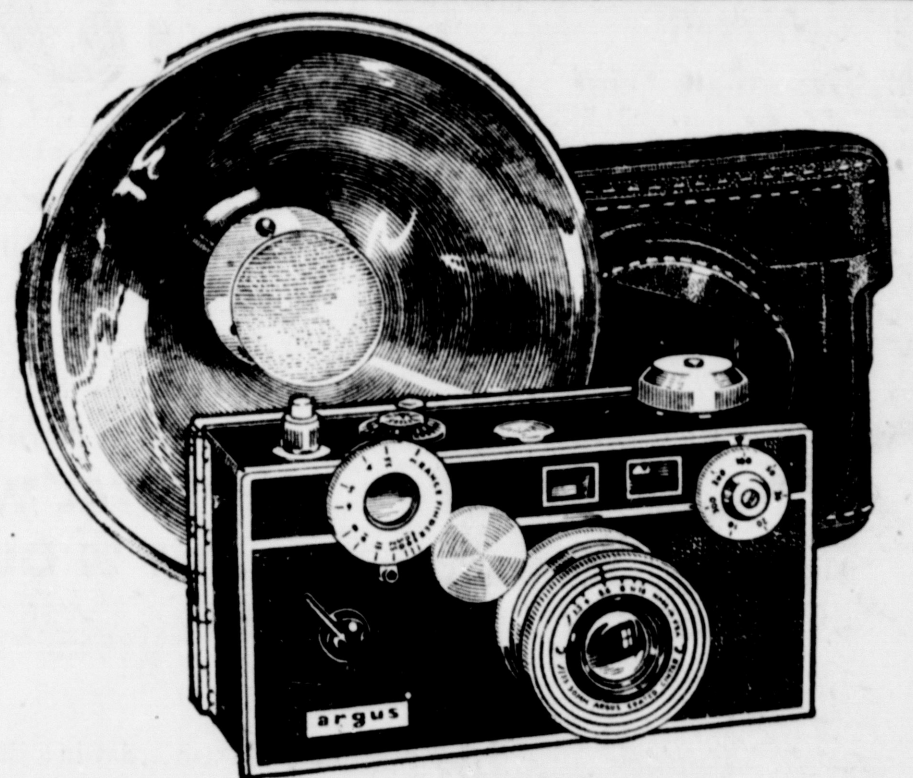
## ARGUS C-3

- ONLY \$1.00 WEEKLY!
- WITH CASE and FLASH!

**\$66<sup>50</sup>**

NO MONEY DOWN

This is a luxury camera at a bargain price that gives you professional quality pictures. Cintar f:3.5 color corrected lens, gear controlled shutter for speeds up to 1/300 second.



## COMPLETE 4-PIECE FAMOUS KEYSTONE

## MOVIE OUTFIT

Camera! Projector! Screen! Film!

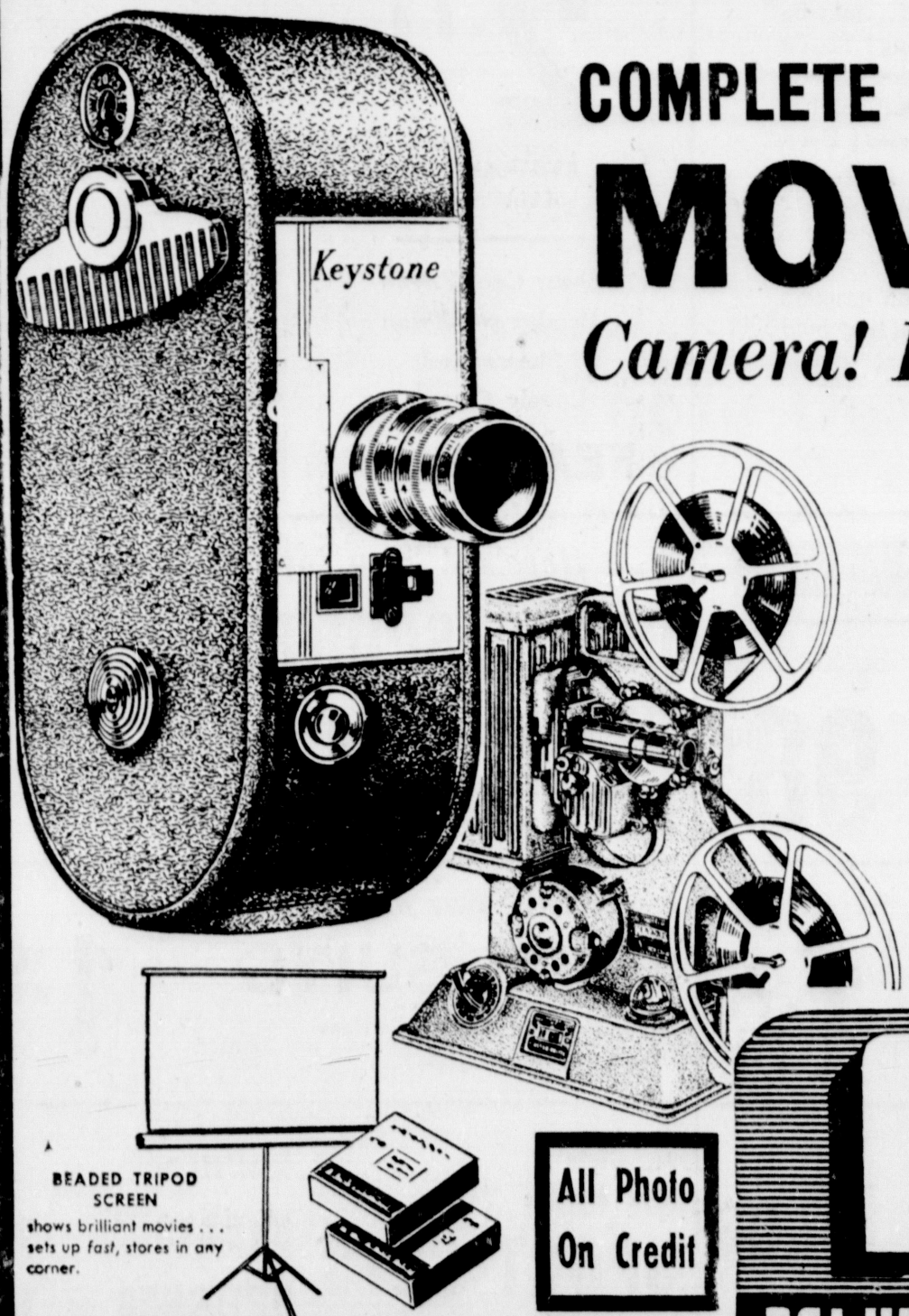
SAVE \$42.95 TODAY and TOMORROW

**\$2 DOWN**

**\$1 WEEK**

**\$77**

BUY TODAY AT THIS LOW PRICE. You get the complete outfit . . . Movie Camera 8 mm, Projector 8 mm, Beaded Screen and Film . . . Be your own movie director and take pictures of children as they grow, important events in your life, for future reviewing. Today and Tomorrow only during this Special Sale!



BEADED TRIPOD SCREEN

shows brilliant movies . . . sets up fast, stores in any corner.

All Photo On Credit

**ARNELL**

261 HIGH ST POTTSTOWN *The Store That Confidence Built*



# U.S. to Supply Weapons For West Germany Buildup

## Heading West - Davy Crockett Style



A covered wagon drawn by two white mules rolls through Cairo, N. Y., carrying a large family to what possibly may be a new life in the West. Ernest Elfgren, his wife and their six children left their farm in East Killingly, Conn., recently, and are averaging 20 miles a day in their trek westward. They have not decided whether to settle in Nebraska or Colorado. At left on the dark mule is the oldest of the Elfgren children, Oscar, 18.

## Aircraft Down Off Alaska

# 10 Die as Plane Crashes

KODIAK, Alaska, June 30 (P)—Ten persons were reported today to have been killed in the crash Wednesday of an Air Force C47 transport on Sitkinak Island.

An earlier report had indicated that possibly only a four-man crew was aboard the two-engine plane when it hit the highest peak on the island about 90 miles southwest of this naval air base town.

Word was received here today that ten persons were aboard the plane, including three Western Electric company representatives engaged in work on the air raid warning installations being built in a series of isolated locations around Alaska.

Military authorities said the plane carried a seven-man crew.

A GROUND party reached the scene today from a Navy tug and recovered eight bodies. Two more were sought.

Turbulent weather was blamed for the crash. It still was so rough yesterday and today that paratroopers could not be dropped by parachute.

The C47 had left Kodiak Wednesday afternoon on an air drop mission. There never was any report of the plane's landing.

## Turncoats Due Shortly, Indian Red Cross Says

NEW DELHI, India, June 30 (P)—Three turncoat American soldiers who have changed their minds about living in Red China probably will be repatriated within a few days, Indian Red Cross officials predicted today.

The officials announced that Washington has agreed to permit the soldiers to return to the United States and has instructed the U. S. consulate general in Hong Kong to prepare their travel documents.

The Peiping radio said last week the men will "depart as soon as arrangements are completed."

The Americans—all U. S. Army corporals captured by the Reds in the Korean war—are Lewis W. Griggs of Jacksonville, Tex.; O. G. Bell of Olympia, Wash., and William A. Cowart of Dalton, Ga.

They were among 23 war prisoners from the allied armies who chose in 1953 not to return home under the Korean armistice terms.

THE Americans who made this decision have been discharged dishonorably from the service. They

BONN, Germany, June 30 (P)—The United States and West Germany signed an agreement today under which the United States will supply the bulk of the heavy equipment needed for the initial buildup of West Germany's armed forces.

No specific amount was mentioned, but West German military authorities estimate they will need from three to four billion dollars worth of American military equipment.

West Germany promised in return to promote "an integrated defense of the North Atlantic area in accordance with defense plans formulated" by the North Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO).

The U. S. will set up a military aid advisory group in Bonn to supervise distribution of American weapons to the 500,000-man force promised to the Western defense alliance. The aid comes under the provision of the U. S. mutual security act of 1954.

ABOUT 700 million dollars worth of modern American arms have been stockpiled in both the United States and Europe for the Germans. These can be moved quickly into German training areas once all the legal barriers to rearmament are overcome.

The agreement does not specify the conditions under which the equipment will be provided. It says that the United States will supply such terms and conditions as may be agreed.

It commits West Germany to:

1. Make available to the United States and the other NATO countries certain equipment, materials and services.
2. Supply certain raw and semi-processed materials needed by the United States as a result of American shortages.
3. Join in promoting international understanding and good will and maintaining world peace, take such action as may be mutually agreed upon to eliminate causes of international tension, and fulfill the military obligations which it has assumed to the Atlantic Alliance.
4. "Make the full contribution permitted by its manpower, resources, facilities and general economic condition to the development and maintenance of its own defensive strength and the defensive strength of the free world."

Plans call for a 12-division army geared for atomic warfare, an air force of 1300 modern jet planes and a coastal defense navy.

## Human Placenta Used for Vaccine

BERKELEY, Calif., June 30 (P)—A discovery which makes it possible to grow polio virus for vaccine in large quantities without the use of expensive monkey kidneys was announced today by three University of California medical researchers.

The method utilizes a part of human placental tissues as the substance in which the virus can be grown. The placenta is the sac which envelops the infant until birth. It can be salvaged in any hospital where children are born.

Only a particular part of the placenta is used for polio virus growth. This is the amniotic membrane, or inner lining.

## Relevant Issues Only, Chancellor Says

# Adenauer Okays Talks With Reds

BONN, Germany, June 30 (P)—Chancellor Konrad Adenauer's government today accepted the Soviet proposal to discuss the establishment of diplomatic, trade and cultural relations between West Germany and Russia.

But, in a businesslike note to the Kremlin, the government side-stepped the Soviet invitation of June 7 for Adenauer to visit Moscow "in the near future."

Instead, the note said the German and Russian ambassadors in Paris should prepare an agenda for later talks.

By proposing this procedure, the government made plain that Adenauer wants to know in ad-

vance just what the Russians plan to discuss if he agrees to visit the Soviet capital.

THE PRO-WESTERN Chancellor favors normal relations with Russia—but not at the price of German neutrality in the cold war or of scrapping West Germany's ties with the free world. He is unwilling to discuss any Soviet proposal to neutralize Germany.

As a major point, Adenauer wants the Russians to release Germans still held in Russia ten years after World War II. Though the Russians say only convicted war criminals remain in the U.S.S.R.,

from 70,000 to 100,000 persons are estimated by the Germans to be unaccounted for.

If the Russians are prepared to limit the talks to what Adenauer calls the relevant issues—that is, diplomatic, commercial and cultural relations—the chancellor will meet with them.

The Soviet Communist party newspaper Pravda assailed Adenauer last Friday for presenting what it called "preliminary conditions" for any talks with the Russians.

This created the impression here the Russians would be unwilling to accept any limitation on the subjects.

# POTTSTOWN MERCURY

ASSOCIATED PRESS

PHONE 6000

PAGE SEVENTEEN

CENTRAL PRESS

FRIDAY, JULY 1, 1955

## New York Newsman Named Reporter Served Communists In Stories, Probers Charge

## Hunt for Downed Marine Airmen Reaches 5th Day

TOKYO, Friday, July 1 (P)—Two faint radio signals flickering out of the Pacific fog sparked slight new hope in the concentrated hunt for four lost Marine airmen, in its fifth day today.

A feeble international aircraft distress signal was heard at 5:40 a. m. yesterday in response to a rescue plane's call, the Air Force said, but it gave no clue on location.

A weak voice signal was heard about 11 hours later. An Air Force spokesman said it "wasn't audible enough to make out."

Mystery and confusion arose over who might be sending the signals heard intermittently since Monday.

Previous emergency transmitter signals were attributed to either Capt. H. P. Montague, Jackson, Miss., or Lt. David Winton Bell, Minneapolis, whose disappearance Sunday night in their Marine Sky-night jet touched off the search.

WASHINGTON, June 30 (P)—Sen-

been a Communist since the November elections of 1940 but refused to say whether he had been a party member previously.

Weingarten also refused, on the grounds of possible self-incrimination, to answer questions as to whether any of his associates were Communists.

Eastland threatened him with citation for contempt of the Senate but Weingarten persisted in his refusal.

He said he never did anything to harm the interests of the United States and that he broke with the Communists in 1940.

Grutznier was called to the witness chair in the second day of hearings by the Senate internal security subcommittee into allegations of Communist activities among reporters.

CHAIRMAN EASTLAND (D-Miss.) was asked during a recess whether the hearings involved "an investigation of the press."

"No, sir," Eastland replied. "We are hunting for Communism wherever we find it."

There was no immediate comment from the New York Times.

Another witness, Victor Weingarten, a former reporter for the Brooklyn Eagle, denied that he had

## President Signs Draft Extension

WASHINGTON, June 30 (P)—President Eisenhower's signature today extended the military draft of teen-agers for another four years and made doctors liable for compulsory duty for two more years.

The President signed the two draft provisions into law just one jump ahead of their scheduled expiration at midnight tonight.

The House finally approved the doctors' bill, after beating down an attempt to kill it; the Senate quickly concurred and the measure was rushed to the White House.

The four-year extension of the regular draft makes all youth 18½ years old and older liable for two years' active service, plus what future laws probably will define as four years in the active and standby reserve.

In practice, they probably will not be called before 21.

## DON'T SUFFER

HEADACHES-DIZZINESS Are Caused by Eye-Strain. Consult a Specialist

Dr. MEYERS OPTOMETRIST 7 N. Hanover St.

Hours: 9 to 5 Daily—No Hours Thursday—EVEN. WED. and FRI. 46 Years in Pottstown

## Navy Family Nearly Takes Over Whole Plane

KEY WEST, Fla., June 30 (P)—When Lt. Cmdr. Harry F. Leuck and his family were transferred from the Navy base here to a Hawaiian station they almost filled the plane.

The electronics officer, his wife and their nine children, ranging in age from 1 to 13 years, took up all but three seats in the commercial plane.

THE Americans who made this decision have been discharged dishonorably from the service. They

# TV FOR THE HOLIDAY

BRAND NEW 1955

## Emerson

Nobody Can Match This Low Price!

# \$129.95

Model 1102E

## Less A Big Big Trade-in For Your Small Screen TV

## NO DOWN PAYMENT

## PAY ONLY \$2 WEEKLY

## Phone 3941 Free Home Demonstration

## DELIVERY GUARANTEED.

See All The July 4th SHOWS! HOLIDAY PARADES! BALL GAMES! PLAYS! ENTERTAINMENT!

The Television King of Pottstown

Small wonder we sell more TV than any other dealer in the area! Here's just one example... low, low price for a 17-inch famous EMERSON, costs as little as half as much to operate as other TV sets and parts last 10 times longer.

# ARNELL

261 HIGH ST POTTSTOWN The Store That Confidence Built

# SALE

## Pine of Shoes

SELBY — AIR STEP — DEBS — KICKERINOS  
Thousands of Pairs Must Be Sold

# AS LOW AS 2.90 A PAIR

Not All Sizes in Every Color, of Course, But Many Styles in Every Size

Kickerinos, Debs, Penobscot, and other famous shoes AT

# \$3.90



MANY, MANY MORE UNADVERTISED VALUES ON DISPLAY IN OUR STORE

NO EXCHANGES... NO REFUNDS

# Royal SHOE STORE

248 HIGH STREET





2 BOYS DIE IN CAVE IN AS 2 OTHERS ARE SAVED—A Priest administers last rites as a doctor and police work vainly to save the lives of Angel Matos and his playmate, John Cotton. The 11-year-old boys died of suffocation under a landslide that buried them while they were playing in an eight-foot-deep excavation in Queens, N.Y. Two other youths, one 11 and the other 5, were rescued by passersby, who dug them out with their hands.

## Trinity Union Sunday School Official Names Picnic Committee Members

RECHTELSTVILLE—Miss Pauline Elst, corp. Stewart Schaeffer Jr., Del. Phone Boyertown 7-5965.

Daniel A. Rohrbach, superintendent of Trinity Union Sunday school, announced the appointment of the following committees and chairmen for the annual picnic to be held July 30 on the local athletic association's grounds:

General: Earl Conrad, Henry Spohn, Gerald Bauer, LaVerne Stimmel, Robert Stimmel and Herbert Fronheiser; advertising: Grant R. Moyer and Melvin Sharp; soda: Warren C. Yeger; candy: Paul Weller; ice cream: Earl Drumheller; cakes and needle work: Neola Stauffer, Mrs. Herbert Fronheiser and Mrs. LaVerne Miller; collection: Erma Hess and Lorraine Conrad; game: Mrs. Curtis Erb and Mrs. Earl Conrad; meats and coffee: Mrs. Clarence Moser. Music will be furnished by the Pottstown band.

The annual vacation Bible school will be held from July 11 to July 22 in Trinity Union church, from 9 a. m. to 11:15 a. m. The Rev. Richard H. Schaeffer, director of the school, has invited all children from 3 to 13 years to attend.

## Boyertown Classified

Card of Thanks 2

LUCARELLI

We wish to thank relatives, neighbors and friends for the many acts of kindness shown, for sympathy extended and for the beautiful floral tributes at the funeral of Nicholas Lucarelli.

The FAMILY.

Strayed, Lost, Found 10

LOST—Green breasted parakeet, "Pete." Leg banded.

Phone Boyertown 7-4461.

Help Wanted—Female 32

CLERK

Full Time.

Apply in person

Berk's Variety Store,

Boyertown, Pa.

Unfurnished Apartments 65

Nice 3 R. & B.

Apply

Berk's Variety Store, Boyertown.

BARTO HOTEL

HOAGIES and STEAK

SANDWICHES Served in

Genuine Italian Vienna Roll

Also PIZZA

PIES and PLATTERS

AVAILABLE AT ALL TIMES

ORDERS TO TAKE OUT

Phone Bally 5-3961

On Route 100, Barto, Pa.

immediate

TV

Repair

Service

Done Excellently By Our

Factory Trained Personnel.

Phone Boyertown 7-2664

Monday thru Saturday,

9 A. M. to 9 P. M.

For Immediate Service

Sylvania Television Sales

JOHNNY'S RADIO

& TV

1061 E. Phila. Ave., Gilbertsville

## Boyertown

EARL S. BENFIELD, Representative Phone 7-2503

129 North Walnut Street

## Boyertown Area High School Authority Accepts \$2,375,000 Bond Issue Bid

Boyertown Area High school authority accepted the bid of Butcher and Sherred, Philadelphia, for the purchase of the \$2,375,000 bond issue for the construction of the new Boyertown Area Senior High school.

Bonds were sold at par with an average interest rate of 2.984 percent.

John Richter, of the bond council of Butcher and Sherred, informed the authority that by selling at par value \$30,000 or \$40,000 will be saved over a discounted bid.

Advisors for the authority, George G. Greenwald, president of the Farmers National Bank and Trust company, Boyertown, and Daniel B. Boyer Sr., president of the National Bank of Boyertown, recommended the issue.

THE ANNUAL rental to be paid to the authority by the school districts will total \$120,500 with the exception of the first year when the total will be \$108,500.

An estimated \$300,000 or \$400,000 would be saved if the issue

could be paid off in 32 years, if there was no default in payment in the set-up approved. The bonds are now set up to be paid off in 39½ years.

Tentative construction contracts were awarded pending the approval by the State and the signing of a lease between the authority and the joint board.

## DEATHS—FUNERALS

Funeral services for NICHOLAS LUCARELLI, husband of Mary Lucarelli, 15 SOUTH WASHINGTON STREET, BOYERTOWN, were held yesterday at 2 p. m. from the Schwenk funeral home, 124 West Philadelphia avenue, Boyertown.

The Rev. John Hassler, acting pastor of St. John's Evangelical Lutheran church, Boyertown, officiated.

Interment was in Union cemetery, Boyertown.

Bearers were three sons-in-law: Ralph E. Fisher, Paul Stetler, George W. Kulp and three grandsons: Nicholas Lucarelli, Franklin Lucarelli and David Lucarelli.

## NOTICE The Kitchen

AT THE SASSAMANSVILLE FIRE CO.

SASSAMANSVILLE, PA.

WILL BE CLOSED Until Sept. 3

No Meals Will Be Served Until That Date

IN OUR LUNCHEONETTE, WE SERVE

• ITALIAN SANDWICHES

• Jane Logan Ice Cream

TROUT'S Pioneer Food Store and Luncheonette

Open Evenings

FOR ALL ELECTRICAL WIRING AND CONTRACTING

RADIO, TELEVISION and ELECTRICAL APPLIANCES SALES and SERVICE

RAY W. KEIM

852 N. Reading Ave., New Berlinville

Phone: Boyertown 7-2985

## NOTICE GREEN'S MUSIC STORE

CLOSED July 4th to July 9th

39-41 S. Reading Ave., Boyertown, Pa.

## Local Woman Contests Divorce Action

A Boyertown woman is contesting her husband's action to secure a Florida divorce, it was learned yesterday.

Mrs. Adell M. Oesterling, of 38 North Reading avenue, has filed an equity suit in Berks county court against her husband, Henry R. Oesterling, former Reading plumbing supply broker.

She is seeking a preliminary injunction which would stop her husband's action.

Berks county court has set July 22 for a hearing.

A PRELIMINARY injunction would restrain Oesterling from instituting or proceeding with an action against his wife in any United States court other than the Common Pleas court of Berks county.

The equity suit contested the

couple was married in 1922 and lived in the county since Aug. 1, 1927.

Oesterling filed a divorce complaint in May 1954. It was contested and never terminated.

The suit reported, that in 1950, Oesterling failed to support his wife and the court ordered a \$32.50 weekly payment. The order allegedly now is \$85 in arrears.

The complaint contended that Oesterling is a legal resident of Pennsylvania and not of Florida.

where he is seeking the divorce. Mrs. Oesterling claimed that her right will be jeopardized and that her right to support will be lost and that she will not be able to travel to Florida with witnesses to contest the divorce.

Telephone 6000 with your news tips.

STATE THEATRE AIR CONDITIONED

TODAY and TOMORROW

The Teen Age Terror Picture that is breaking records everywhere.



SHOWS: 6-8-9:30 P.M.

NEW MERCHANDISE CLUB JOIN TODAY KUSER BROS., Inc.

112 E. Phila. Ave., Boyertown

## Complete HOLLYWOOD

Single BED

At The Low Price Of

\$59.75

M. S. KUSER

Furniture & Floor Covering

146 S. Reading Ave., Boyertown

Open: Mon., Fri. & Sat. 10 P. M.

## BAR-B-Q GRILL



Roomy grill area—162 square inches

Holds 2-dozen wieners

Stands 15 inches high

Legs become carrying handles

While they last

Special \$4.95 Value Only 1.99

B.F. Goodrich SPECIAL!

Fiberglass-insulated Therm-All Bag

Usually sells for \$1.98 Now only

99¢

Keeps food for picnics HOT or COLD for hours

\* LARGE SIZE — 17 x 18 INCHES

\* IDEAL SHOPPING BAG FOR FROZEN FOOD

while they last

HAND SPOT 3.99

Plugs in dash.

DASH TRAY 59c

Magnetized. Roomy.

MIRROR 2.89

Clamps on door.

EXHAUST EXTENSION 1.29

Fits all cars.

FLOOR MAT 79c

Easily cleaned.

WHEEL COVER 69c

Mohair. Rubber back.

A quality tire at a low price

B. F. Goodrich SAFETY-S

SIZE 600 x 16 PLUS TAX and Your Recappable Tire

12.95

Let us CHECK YOUR TIRES BEFORE YOUR VACATION!

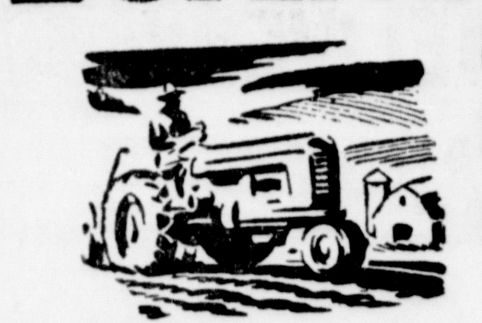
FREE

OPEN FRIDAY EVENING TILL 9 P.M.

104 E. PHILA. AVE., BOYERTOWN—Ph. 7-2304

B.F. Goodrich FIRST IN RUBBER—FIRST IN TUBELESS

## LOANS



FOR EVERY NEED

CONSULT OUR BUDGET DEPARTMENT

Reap more cash with bigger harvests. Let us lend you money for improved planting and harvesting equipment, repairs on your old machines. See us now.

FARMERS NATIONAL BANK AND TRUST CO.

Boyertown

Member Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation

## You Get A Better Deal At KUSER'S



Join and Save With Kuser Bros. Philco Frozen Food Plan!

PHONE ENTERPRISE 1-0513

KUSER BROS., INC. BOYERTOWN

112 E. PHILA. AVE., BOYERTOWN

NOW AT NO EXTRA COST

YOUR CHOICE OF 3 COLORS WITH DAWN YELLOW TOP

DELUXE TRIM INCLUDING SPRAY

Color

AT THIS LOW, LOW PRICE BIG 54" SINK

REGULAR VALUE \$159.95

ONLY \$129.95

TERMS

Youngstown Kitchens

IN THRILLING GO-TOGETHER COLORS

SUNSET COPPER

MERIDIAN BLUE

DAWN YELLOW

STAR WHITE

BOYER'S

"On the Square Since 1805"

Boyertown, Pa.



# HOW WOULD YOU LIKE TO FEED YOUR FAMILY BETTER - FOR LESS MONEY?

## YOU CAN WITH THE KUSER-PHILCO FOOD PLAN

### HERE'S HOW:

- Quantity Buying
- Buying "In Season" and Storing
- Buying U. S. Choice Meats
- Owning a Freezer
- Selecting Your Own Food
- Dealing With a Local Food Supplier Who Guarantees Everything
- Paying for Both the Food and Freezer Out of the Money You Now Spend for Food Alone.

IF YOUR FOOD BUDGET  
IS ABOUT \$20.00 A WEEK

**FOOD + FREEZER**

**\$10.87 A WEEK**

YOU CAN BUY AN 8 CU. FT. PHILCO FREEZER & \$100.00 FOOD. THIS LEAVES YOU \$9.13 A WEEK FOR STAPLES.



IF YOUR FOOD BUDGET  
IS ABOUT \$25.00 A WEEK

**FOOD + FREEZER**

**\$13.43 A WEEK**

YOU CAN BUY A 13 CU. FT. PHILCO FREEZER & \$150.00 FOOD. THIS LEAVES YOU \$11.57 A WEEK FOR STAPLES.



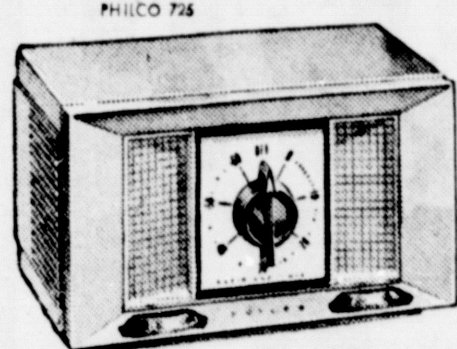
IF YOUR FOOD BUDGET  
IS ABOUT \$30.00 A WEEK

**FOOD + FREEZER**

**\$17.45 A WEEK**

YOU CAN BUY AN 18 CU. FT. PHILCO FREEZER PLUS \$150.00 FOOD. THIS LEAVES YOU \$12.55 FOR STAPLES.

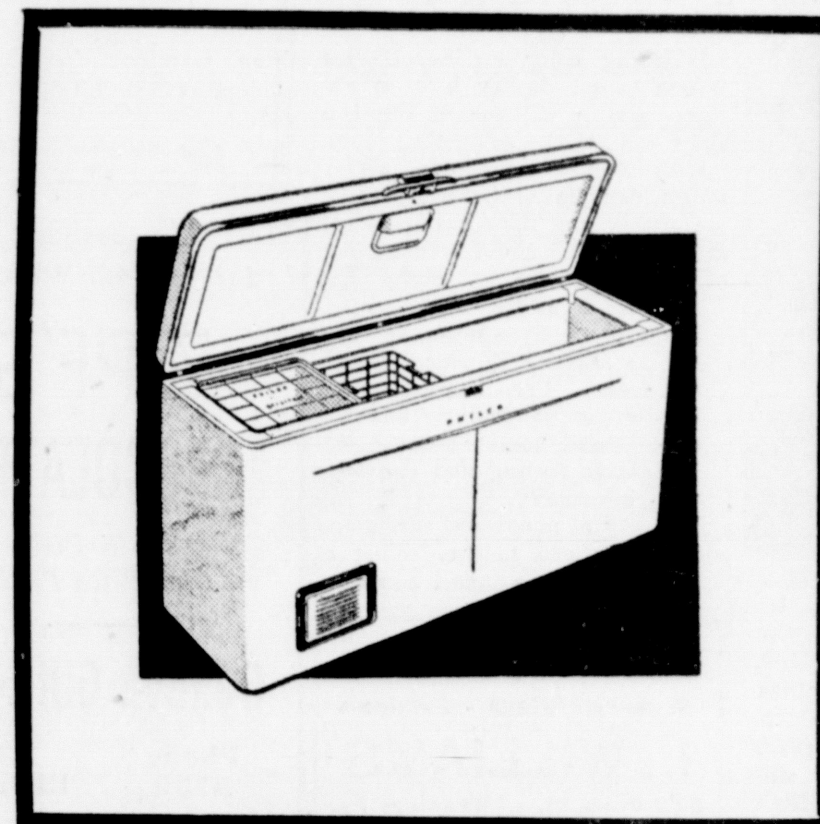
## Free \$35.00



**PHILCO Automatic  
RADIO-TIMER**

Limited offer while supply lasts. Powerful, smartly styled Philco radio with a brand new feature—built-in automatic Kitchen timer. Wonderfully convenient. Hurry in right away.

## SPECIAL—FOR EVERYONE JOINING THE FOOD PLAN IN THE NEXT 10 DAYS!



### MAIL THIS COUPON TODAY!

**KUSER BROS.**

112 E. Phila. Ave., Boyertown . . . Phone 7-2487

Please send me more information on your Philco Food Plan. I understand this places me under no obligation.

No. in Family . . . Adults . . . Children Under 18 . . .

Present Total Weekly Food Budget is \$ . . .

Name . . .

Address . . .

City . . . Phone . . .

## KUSER BROS. — PHILCO FREEZER FOOD PLAN

112 E. PHILADELPHIA AVENUE, BOYERTOWN PHONE 7-2487



## +++ WOMEN'S ACTIVITIES +++

### Reunions, Swimming Parties and Picnics Planned by Local Pottstown Stay-at-Homes

Although the Jersey coast and Pennsylvania mountains are thronged over the July Fourth week-end, there are those who prefer the comfort of hammocks and lawn chairs in their own back yards.

Still others will brave mosquitoes and ants in local area picnic groves.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Haas, 297 North Charlotte street, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Miller and children, Douglass and Joan of Gilbertsville; Mr. and Mrs. Michael Gula, Stowe, Mr. and Mrs. Leonel Hallman, Boyertown.

And, Edith Hallman, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hoffman and children, Ricky and David, Frederick Renninger Jr., Mrs. J. Oliver Yergey will gather at Zern's grove, Gilbertsville, Monday.

Beef barbecues, potato salad, chocolate cake, hot dogs, pickles, baked beans and pickled eggs are only part of the menu which will be prepared by Mrs. Miller and Mrs. Hallman.

When asked how to be sure of the quantity needed for the affair, Mrs. Miller replied, "we just take a guess, fill a bowl and set it down."

Invitations have also been extended their friends, Mr. and Mrs. William Zern who own the picnic area.

Mrs. Harvey Saylor, 358 Apple street will lead her children on a family hike to Memorial park for lunch since Mr. Saylor will be working at Hartenstein's Catering service on the holiday.

The "Apple street Sixteen" are: Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Saylor and son, Kenneth Jr.; Mr. and Mrs. Edward Saylor and daughter, Betty Ann; Mary Lou Shaffer, Mary Ann Petro, Donald Harmansky, Doris Saylor.

And, Charles Saylor, Harvey Saylor, Joyce Saylor, Carol Saylor, Kathryn Saylor and Mrs. Saylor.

After a picnic lunch the youngsters are expected to invade the splash pool while the oldsters will try a hand and some arms and legs at baseball.

Mr. and Mrs. Merrill Gauger and Mr. and Mrs. Morris Gauger will meet at Ringing Rocks park Monday with their family and friends.

Others expected to attend are: Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Brauner and sons, Gary, Michael, and Tommy; Mr. and

Mr. Earl Neste and children, Robert and Patty; Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Donin, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Bauer and son, Kerry.

And, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Gauger and sons, Brian and Gregory, Mr. and Mrs. John Gauger and daughter, Kathleen, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Nagle and son, Ricky, Anna Helfrich, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Peroni and children, Arthur Jr. and Dorothy.

Also, Mr. and Mrs. Antone Helfrich, Mr. and Mrs. Douglass Bean and children, Barbara, Ann and Tommy; Robert, James and Jeffrey, children of Mr. and Mrs. Merrill Gauger and Gail, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Gauger.

Morris Gauger and Merrill Gauger are proprietors of the Gauger Brothers Service station. These people meet almost every other weekend during the summer months, weather permitting, "just for the kids."

After giving picnic details, Mrs. Merrill Gauger added, "the whole

gang is investing in a charcoal burner and thermos cooler."

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Collander of "Three Crowns" farm, Daisey point, are giving a picnic on their lawn to honor the Rev. Francis J. Walsh, rector of Our Lady of Consolation Catholic church near Lancaster.

The Rev. Walsh is celebrating his 25th anniversary in the priesthood.

Other friends and family members to be present for the occasion are: Mr. and Mrs. David Lloyd Sr., and children, David Jr. and Paul; Mr. and Mrs. John Lloyd and son, John Jr.; Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Dunlevy and children, Barbara, Michael and Dennis.

Also, Mrs. Mary Lloyd Busen-kell and sons, Richard, Mark and Gregory.

Games will be provided for the children.

An informal picnic is scheduled for Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bechtel, Sheep Hill road.

They will be hosts to: Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Fegley Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Robert Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence High, Mr. and Mrs. Richard High and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Schultz.

If it should rain, the lunch of cold ham and turkey will be relocated at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Smith, Woodland drive.

Dr. and Mrs. Charles Baylor, Rahns, hill, will entertain their weekend guests with a back yard barbecue Monday.

Their daughter, Marsha, who attends Immaculata college, is home for the summer vacation and Nancy, an airline stewardess with Eastern Airlines is expected to return home for the holidays.

with guest, Clark Corson from Philadelphia.

Other guests will be: Dr. Baylor's sister, Mrs. Clair Barndt and her husband from Windbar; Mr. and Mrs. Leo Sutton, of Philadelphia, and Mrs. Nancy Van Buren, from Long Island, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Madaras will join the "stay at homes" with a back yard picnic Sunday at their home 549 East Vine street, Stowe.

A swimming party will precede the lunch. Guests will be: Mr. and Mrs. C. Roy Bush, Mr. and Mrs. George Royer, Dr. and Mrs. J. Robert Gray, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Goldberg, Jersey City, N. J.; Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Jensen Philadelphia, and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Warner, of Lancaster.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Harberger and children, Dorothy Anne and James, will eat in picnic fashion in their yard at 131 King street.

And, says Mr. Vincent Rettew, 1454 Cherry street, "we may snack in the back yard too."

Three sons, a daughter, a son-in-law and one grandchild compose the family of Mr. and Mrs. Rettew.

#### REMOVE CIGARET BURNS

To remove cigaret burns from furniture, rub the charred surface with 30 steel wool. Be careful not to scratch the surrounding area. Wrap the steel wool about the end of an orange stick or pencil with its point removed.

If the burned place isn't deep, remove the charred parts and color and fill the spot with color in oil added to sealer or varnish, or use a colored sealer or varnish stain.

Several coats of this may be needed. If the depression is deep, fill it with stick shellac.

### Thirty-Two Attend Anniversary Banquet For Order of Eagles Ladies Auxiliary

Thirty-two members and guests attended the fourth annual anniversary banquet of the Ladies auxiliary of the Fraternal Order of Eagles, 626.

The affair took place at New Berlinville the past Tuesday night.

Chaplain, Dorothy Sassaman opened the session with prayer. Outgoing president, Ellen Snell, extended a "thank you" to committee members for their outstanding work during the past year.

She also presented Mrs. Rose

Orrs, chosen to the honorary office of Mother, with an orchid corsage.

A centerpiece of daisies and carnations was given to new president, Gladys Yost who was a surgical patient in Pottstown hospital recently.

Another centerpiece was presented to Mrs. Anna Scheetz as a "welcome back" gift since she had been ill for some time.

#### FOR

Practical Gifts

Shop

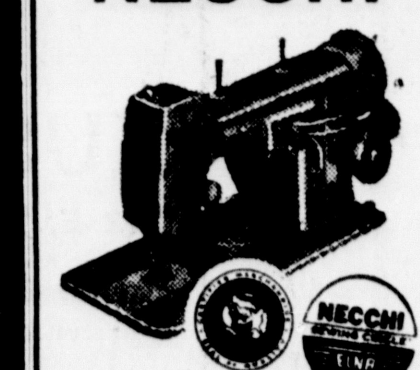
**Wolf's**  
CHINA and GLASS

155 HIGH ST. Phone 724

#### SEW AND SAVE

With The Amazing NEW, WONDER WHEEL

### NECCHI



ONLY \$3.65 Per Week

SAVE TIME, MONEY . . . Do away with tedious hand finishing. Sew on buttons, make buttonholes, applique, overcast seams or zig-zag.

FREE SEWING COURSE

New Merchandise Club Now Forming JOIN TODAY

PHONE 7-2552

### SCAVELLI

#### SEWING CENTER

11 E. Phila. Ave. | Hill Church Rd.  
Boyetown | Near  
Bechtelville  
Shop Daily Till 5:30; Fri. Till 8:30

## Newlyweds, Mr. and Mrs. Pickard To Reside in Mayville N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert James Pickard will leave today for their home in Mayville, N. Y. Married Saturday, June 18, they have just returned to Pottstown from a honeymoon trip through Florida. The couple were married, with a double ring ceremony, in St. Peter's Catholic church by the Rev. John Naja, rector.

The bride, the former Lillian Wilson, daughter of Mrs. Stella Wilson, 314 South Keim street, was given in marriage by John Kirlick, a friend of the family.

Her gown was of white lace, the skirt full and circular and centered with a panel of pleated tulle, a Peter Pan collar finished the high round neckline of an illusion yoke. Long sleeves tapered to a point at the wrists.

A coronet of pearls held the bride's fingertip length veil. She wore pearl earrings, a gift of the bridegroom, and carried a prayer-book arranged with a white orchid.

Mrs. Russell Griesemer, sister of the bride, was matron-of-honor. Her gown was of pale green tulle, the ballerina length skirt full and circular. A matching stole topped the strapless bodice.

Bridesmaids wore dresses similar in style to that of the honor attendant. Theresa Cisarik was groomed in blue; Veronica Cisarik in pink, and Mary Ann Kazimer in orchid. All carried shower bouquets of yellow roses.

The bridegroom, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. Earl Pickard, of Dewittville, N. Y., was attended by his brother, Marvin Pickard, of Mayville, N. Y., as best man. Ushers were Russell Griesemer, brother-in-law of the bride; Frank Czarik and Francis Kazimer.

A reception for wedding guests followed the ceremony in the social rooms of the church.

Mrs. Wilson, mother of the bride, received in a pale blue dress, her accessories were white. The bridegroom's mother, Mrs. Pickard, also chose blue with white accessories. Both mothers wore orchids.

The bride is a 1952 graduate of North Coventry High school. Her husband was graduated from Mayville High school in 1949 and is employed by Chataqua Malted Milk company of Mayville, N. Y.

Aunt Tilly having a birthday party? Uncle Harry getting a medal? Telephone The Mercury with the news and you may be awarded part of \$10 given weekly in a newstop contest.

**GERMAN CLUB**

#### DANCE

Saturday, July 2

to the Music of

### SNOBY HUNTER

DANCING

10 P. M. to 1 A. M.

**JEWELRY**

#### For The BRIDE

Happy the Bride who receives gifts of enduring beauty, chosen from our gala array. No matter how little . . . or how much you wish to spend, you can be sure that your gift will prove a worthy expression of your warmest wishes.

Join Our Merchandise Club

**JOSEPH W. MOYER**

Jewelry and Gifts

373 N. Evans Street

**Grants**  
KNOWN AS VALUE

### Away We Go

In spanking new playtime outfits from thrifty Grants



#### CHILDREN'S SUNTOGS HOLIDAY COLLECTION

Cotton Boxer Shorts

Twill, cord, poplin, no-iron seersucker and plisse, Sizes 2 to 6. **39c**

Bright Cotton Sunsuits

Boys' and girls' styles. Poplin, broadcloth, no-iron plisse, 1 to 6. **59c**

New Rhumba Sunsuits

Colorful cotton, elastic back, and button-on straps, Sizes 1-3; 3-6X. **\$1**

**W.T. GRANT CO**

226 HIGH ST., POTTSTOWN, PA.

## Joan Degler Becomes Bride of Leo Ingram In South Pottstown

The marriage of Joan Degler, Boyertown RD 2, and Leo Ingram was solemnized at noon the past Saturday in St. John's Lutheran church, South Pottstown.

The Rev. George F. Eichorn, pastor, read the double ring ceremony for Miss Degler daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Sherwood, Arlington, Tex., and Mr. Ingram, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Ingram, South Pottstown.

The bride wore a white net ballerina length gown, with matching bolero. Her bouquet was of white carnations.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hartz attended the couple as matron-of-honor and best man. George Ingram served as usher.

Mrs. Hartz was attired in a pale orchid net dress with lilac colored stole. She carried yellow carnations.

A reception at the home of the bridegroom's parents followed the ceremony.

As a traveling costume, to start her honeymoon trip, the bride wore a brown linen suit, white accessories and a corsage of white carnations.

Guests attended the wedding from Boyertown, Shanesville, Spring City and Philadelphia.

Mrs. Ingram was graduated from Boyertown High school with the class of 1953 and is employed by Drumhellers Food Mart. Her husband attended North Coventry schools and is an employee of Fox Landscaping, Sanatoga.



MR. AND MRS. ROBERT JAMES PICKARD

#### Neck and Shoulders Too

The sure sign of careless grooming is an obvious difference between a carefully made-up face and neglected neck!

The proper way to wash your face is to pile your hair on top of your head and keep applying thick soapsuds till you've worked right down to the shoulders.

Use one turkish wash cloth to work the soap into the skin and another one to rinse it off with clear water.

Want to earn extra money? Give The Mercury tips on news, events, social gatherings. You may win part of \$10 awarded weekly. Just telephone 6000.

**DANCE AT SUNNYBROOK**  
POTTSTOWN

Saturday Eve., July 2

### BUDDY WILLIAMS

Admission \$1.50 Plus Tax

SATURDAY, JULY 2

**The McGuire Sisters**

with Neal Hefti and his Orchestra

**BUSINESS AS USUAL DURING STORE ALTERATIONS**

COME IN AND SEE WHAT IS HAPPENING

**MILTON'S**

Pottstown's Infants', Girls' and Boys' Store

221 High St., Pottstown

## Paul's Bootery

### GREATEST SEMI-ANNUAL

# SHOE SALE

(For Limited Time Only)

## NOW IN PROGRESS

### SAVINGS UP TO

# 50%

AND MORE

BUY NOW for Your Vacation Needs At Ridiculous LOW PRICES

OUR LOSS IS YOUR GAIN

Sorry - No Phone Orders - Refunds or Exchanges

## PAUL'S BOOTERY

Pottstown's Shoe Fashion Center

315 HIGH ST.

POTTSTOWN



**ENGAGED**—Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Mayberry, 1126 Industrial avenue, announce the engagement of their daughter, Edith Eleanor, to Charles Jack Bailey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bailey, Mervine road. Miss Mayberry, a senior student at Pottstown Senior High school, is employed at McCrory's Stores, incorporated. Mr. Bailey, who is a member of the Pottstown National Guard unit, is an employee of the Diamond Glass company, Roversford. No wedding date has been announced.

**LAMPS — SHADES**

New Stocks — Beautiful New Lamps and Shades — Unbelievably Low Prices — Quality — The Finest

**The BETTERLEYS**  
Lamp Specialists

815 Queen St. Tel. 3125-R



Custom-Made Draperies and Slipcovers

PHONE FOR FREE ESTIMATE

Years of experience of fine workmanship and quality goes into each custom-made job. Guaranteed workmanship.

3 Pieces—Reg. \$120 **\$89.95**

**SPECIAL**

**MILL END FABRIC SHOP**

321 HIGH ST. PHONE 3978

## SPECIALS

### BLANKETS

DRY CLEANED **\$1.25**

(NOT LAUNDERED)

### Furniture COVERS

8 PIECES **\$5.75**

DRY CLEANED

**SPECIAL**

**ROTH CLEANERS—Phone 2120-M**

449 HIGH—411 LAUREL—12 N. HANOVER **4375**



# Nuptial Mass Read by Rev. Suchanek For Michael Hegedus, Nina DiGiosia

Palms and gladioli decorated the altar of St. Gabriel's Catholic church, Stowe, when Nina DiGiosia became the bride of Michael Hegedus Jr.

The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel DiGiosia Sr., 841 Vine street, Stowe, and the son of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Hegedus Sr., 326 Cherry street, were married with a Nuptial mass by the Rev. Francis Suchanek, rector.

A double ring ceremony was choice of the couple. Before the ceremony a recital of music was performed for the 200 guests present by organist, Joseph Harbach and soloist, Paul Marchek.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was gown in white lace over satin. Her bodice was encrusted with iridescent and pearls. A Mandarin collar finished the yoke of illusion. Tier upon tier of ruffles formed the skirt which extended into a parasol train.

A three quarter length, four tier veil was draped from a crown of iridescent and pearls. The bride carried a prayer book arranged with a white orchid and Stephanotis.

Maid-of-honor was Nancy DiGiosia, a cousin of the bride. Her ballerina length dress was of white eyelet embroidery over an under-slip of Cotillion blue. Ruffles of embroidery fashioned the skirt.

A bolero of organdie, edged with eyelet, topped the strapless gown. She carried a hand bouquet of blue tinted carnations, centered with a white orchid.

Bridesmaids, Janet Gatta, Anna Rulli, Bonnie Swinehart, Bernadine Zawaski, Josephine Fontana and Mrs. John Hegedus, were gowns styled as that of the maid-of-honor but baby blue in color. They carried bouquets of blue tinted carnations, centered with lavender orchids.

Performing the duties of best man was James Petrucci. William Gatta, Joseph and John Hegedus, brothers of the bridegroom; Victor and Samuel DiGiosia Jr., brothers of the bride and James Ruyak served as ushers.

Donna Carline, in a gown similar to that of the maid-of-honor, was flower girl.

Centerpieces of carnations decorated the bride's table for the reception in Maria Assunta lodge which followed the ceremony.

Mrs. DiGiosia, mother of the bride, received the 450 guests in a dress of gray lace over pink taffeta. Her accessories were pink also.

Mother of the bridegroom, Mrs. Hegedus assisted her, wearing a dress of navy blue lace and navy accessories. Both wore corsages of white orchids.

To begin her honeymoon trip to the Poconos, the new Mrs. Hegedus chose a dress in shades of pink and shoes and bag of black patent leather. Pinned to her shoulder was her bridal orchid.

The couple will be at home to

their friends at 325 King street.

Mrs. Hegedus was graduated from West Pottsgrove High school with the class of 1951, her husband is a 1950 graduate of Pottstown High school. Both are employed by Doehler Jarvis division of the National Lead company; Mrs. Hegedus in the office and Mr. Hegedus as an inspector.

Guests attended the wedding from Maryland, Delaware and Kennett Square.

## Roses to Be Worn Not Eaten Decorate Cake At Bridal Shower Given for Mildred Jones

A corsage of pink rosebuds centered a pink cake on the refreshment table at a shower given for Mildred Jones by her sister-in-law, Mrs. Robert Jones.

The corsage was a gift for the guest of honor from the hostess. Pink and white streamers showed from an ornamental birdcage planter to mark the place of the gifts.

Scene of the affair was the Douglassville RD home of Mrs. Jones.

The honored guest, daughter of Mrs. G. Burton Jones, 1115 Rambler avenue, will be wed to Paul Casner Jr., Saturday, July 9, in St. James Lutheran church. Mr. Casner is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Casner Sr., Parkerford.

Attending the shower were: Gladys Yocom, Mrs. Charles Moore, Mrs. G. Burton Jones, Mrs. Paul Callow, Mabel Renninger, Mrs. Edgar Strickland, Mrs. Paul Casner, Mrs. Davis Heck, Marilyn Kline, Mrs. Kenneth Garner, And, Mrs. Edgar Hughes, Mrs. of the "vintage" type.

Sara Wiand, Mrs. Evelyn Kehl, Mrs. Willa Hart, Mrs. Donald Jones, Mrs. Peggy Jones and Esther Kreps.

Absentee gifts were sent by: Mrs. Calvin Hughes, Mrs. Paul Sallade, Velva Boyer, Mrs. Edward Schumacher, Mrs. George Moore and Mrs. William Oberlander.

### DO YOU HAVE "DRIPPOSIS"?

Are your faucets and bathtub valves suffering from "dripitis"? It is best to have dripping faucets repaired promptly because stains on plumbing fixtures resulting from minerals in the water are very hard to remove. Most old faucets are beyond the repair stage. It is usually cheaper to buy Kline, Mrs. Kenneth Garner, a new faucet than to replace one. And, Mrs. Edgar Hughes, Mrs. of the "vintage" type.



—Photo by Pic Kar Studio

**NEWLYWEDS**—Mr. and Mrs. Willard Standhope are pictured following their recent marriage in Hereford Mennonite church, Bally. The bride is the former Naomi Heffentrager, daughter of Horace Heffentrager of Bally. Her husband is a resident of New Berlinville.

## Parents Give Swimming and Patio Party To Mark Donna Madaras' Twelfth Birthday

Guests arrived in their bathing suits for the birthday party of Donna Madaras yesterday afternoon.

In observance of the twelfth anniversary of her birth, Donna's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Madaras, entertained a group of her friends at a swimming and patio party, at their home 549 East Vine street, Stowe.

Guests swam awhile then danced in the patio to the music of a record player; then swam again.

They ate prodigiously of a picnic supper, the hostess reported, and when the time came to return to their homes, were reluctant to leave.

A three tier cake, trimmed with pink rosebuds and candles was a feature of the supper.

Swimming and diving contests, races on the lawn, left guests and hosts breathless.

Those present were: Vanda Boyer, Nancy Levensgood, Patricia Guadagnoli, Margaret Bush, Sandra Lenhart, Marie Kulp, Patricia Lenhart, Margaret Bush, Sandra

## Vacation Beauty Aids

Vacation time is the time to pack beauty into your travel kit, wherever you go. The fashionable carry-alls can always make room for miniature clothesline and clothes pins, for nail brush, clothes brush, bobby pins, and hairnet or head scarf.

And soap and tissues belong in a lady's handbag, even if she's just out for a day's shopping. For when you look your best, and stay looking your best, life is a lot more pleasant and rewarding.

Telephone 6000 with your news-tips.

## Births

TO MR. AND MRS. CHARLES EVANS, 0-5 Penn Village, a daughter in Memorial hospital yesterday.

TO MR. AND MRS. MELVIN AMOLE, Douglassville, a son in Community General hospital, Reading.

TO MR. AND MRS. RAYMOND B. FRANCIS JR., Birdsboro, a daughter in Reading hospital.

TO MR. AND MRS. JAMES HOUPE, Oley RD 1, a daughter in Reading hospital.

## Wedding Anniversaries

Mr. and Mrs. George Judy, Pottstown RD 3, 11 years.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Hydu, 417 Center street, Stowe, 53 years.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Kirkhof, 801 Beech street, 31 years.

**PETTICOAT CHATTER**  
BY  
**DOROTHY SIMONS**

WHEN you think of the Fourth of July holiday, automatically think of the famous twin pharmacies we have on the East and West Ends of town! Why? Because the many items you are going to need on your vacation can be found there. And make sure you get them there, before you leave! The assurance of fine quality and reasonable prices is a rare thing after you leave home. You'll find your self wishing for the

**SUNSET PHARMACIES**, located at 12 Moser road, and at 333 West High street, when you need something for your mosquito bites on top of poison ivy over sun burn! Because only at the Sunset Pharmacies can you find those wonderful remedies for your aches after a session with the great outdoors! The all important sunglasses, the first aid kit, the sun tan lotion are supplies you can't be without. Also, bathing caps, beach balls, toys to keep the kiddies amused in the car, magazines to read on the beach, earplugs, car sickness pills, aspirin, will be a help to have along. I also suggest you stock up on toothbrushes and paste for the family as well as deodorants, perfumes, shaving cream, after shave lotion and plenty of hair tonic. Oh, what the wind and the sun do to your hair! Plenty of tissues, cigarettes and candy will be consumed, too! The point is that you will save in money, you will save in time (why waste it on your vacation) looking for needed items, and you can be sure that your supplies are fresh and of fine quality when you buy them before you go on your vacation at the Sunset Pharmacy! These are extremely important items to consider. And if you haven't seen the new Sunset Pharmacy, be sure you shop there. The new ceiling, the lovely color scheme and interior decorating, and the modern displays are a miracle of beauty. While there, try a snack at the famous Sunset fountain! Happy Fourth! Sunset Pharmacies will be open all day on Sunday and the Fourth of July for your convenience.

**LITTLE PHOTO SHOP**, located conveniently at 141 1/2 High street. You can take your roll film there in the morning before you go to work or start your shopping. By the time you are ready to leave for home, your film will be developed and ready for you to pick up! Yes, this eight hour service on roll film is the only one in town. The Little Photo Shop is a popular spot because workmanship is fine and the speed of development is amazing!

At home or away, always remember that your youngsters need the proper nutrition. A good remedy for the dislike of unfamiliar water is to carry a large thermos of milk along in the car with you! A large glass of cool milk is really refreshing, and really great when it is

**SWAVELY'S Milk** from the MEADOWBROOK FARMS! A new scientific process makes the milk more nutritious and rich with vitamins. During the Summer months, and especially on vacations, your children play harder, sleep less, and are generally more active. They need plenty of good milk to keep them in shape. I suggest you serve milk as often as they ask for a drink, so that they get more than their normal share. And remember, you never out grow the need for milk. It's a good idea for adults to drink a few glasses of milk a day, too! Swavely's milk from Meadowbrook Farms is so rich, fresh, and delicious, my whole family loves it. Yours will, too!

The child psychology books say that every child should have at least one pet. With a baby, a two year old, and a column to write twice a week, I always felt that I have enough without pets to care for! But I've decided that the perfect pets from

**THE BIRD HOUSE**, 4 West Fourth street, would be a pair of darling parakeets, or a canary! They take so little care, and children can't get at them. Children should have pets. I'm for as little extra work as possible, aren't you?

There is nothing more important than a good night of sleep! I can face anything if I've slept well the night before. And one necessary item for that, of course, is a really good mattress. At the wonderful

**WILKE FURNITURE HOUSE**, Queen and Madison streets, you will find a new mattress made by the famous Shifman Brothers. An important characteristic of this mattress is "Sanotuff," a patented idea for making a mattress without buttons! A marvelous range of prices, from \$39.50 to \$89.50, make it possible for you to own one no matter what amount you plan to spend! I like the written guarantee that goes with each mattress—it is actually guaranteed for ten years! Now is the time to go to Wilke's for a perfect dream of a mattress!

**ANNABEL'S GIFT SHOP**, 1314 High street, a few days before you leave and choose something from the vast array of gifts there. Every price range is included, so your perfect gift is among them! A household gift is always welcome, or an item of special food from the gourmet shop. Perhaps you prefer a personal gift for your hostess? Well, an Italian made leather bag, or some costume jewelry, may be the answer! Annabel's is open

Once the month of July is ended, you will not be able to buy

**SCHMOYER'S**, 125 East Philadelphia avenue, Boyertown, the wonderful polished aluminum pitcher at the sale price of \$1.49. It will cost \$2.95, the regular price, after July. It is really a beautiful pitcher, and so useful as it holds 2 1/2 quarts of either hot or cold beverage! It has a bakelite handle which is sturdy as well as attractive. Make sure you stop at Schmoyer's sometime during the month for your aluminum pitcher, it's something you will need and use a thousand times this summer!

Now is the time to take advantage of the fabulous sale on bathing suits going on in town! Really lovely creations are reduced 50 percent, so be sure to get yours before the Fourth. You'll find them at the

**ARCADE DRESS AND TOTS SHOP**, located at 268 High street. In all sizes these bathing suits also include all styles. The modern lace trimmed styles, for example, and sporty suits with cuffed tops and button trim. A two-toned number is really sharp in cerise and black! A new idea in outfits, is a checked blouse and black skirt with checked tulips! (At just \$2.98 each.) And, did you know that profit sharing coupons are given at the Arcade Dress and Tots Shop with every dollar purchase?

I have a weakness for good jewelry! I confess most costume jewelry leaves me cold, but when I see something that is in the "good jewelry" class, I can always find a reason why I "need" it! I class good jewelry as being tasteful, attractive, of real quality, but not necessarily expensive. The finest selection of this type jewelry can be found at

**ALFRED R. WELSH'S JEWELRY STORE**, located at Nagle Center. There are so many sets and separate items in the Summer line that are exquisite, light in weight, and beautifully styled! If you need Summer jewelry, I suggest you choose from this group. It is the type jewelry that will go with everything, and look perfect. I always like marcasite jewelry as it is dainty and retains its lustre. The popular rhinestone jewelry, for evening wear, in lovely variety at Welsh's will be a stunning accent to your date-time clothes! Famous nationally advertised jewelry that is distinctive as well as reasonably priced is what you can expect at this favorite jewelry shop! Another important feature is the expert watch repair service which is prompt and done on the premises.

For some really excellent food during the Fourth of July holiday, you better stay right here in Pottstown! Take a vacation from preparing the big meals of the days ahead and take the family to the

**CLOVER LEAF RESTAURANT**, 265 Beech street. There you will find a pleasant, homelike atmosphere that is restful as well as attractive. And, best of all, you will discover the most wonderful food, I'm sure, that you have ever eaten! Prepared by the excellent cooks at the Clover Leaf, it's right in their kitchen! Even the baked goods are made there! Of course, the famous and fine quality dairy products are from the Clover Leaf Dairies. You will enjoy the food, and what a wonderful break for Mother not to have to prepare the food and then clean up afterward! In fact, let's feel sorry for those poor vacationers who have to stand in line to get second rate food at shamefully high prices! You'll have a much more pleasant time! It's a wonderful habit to form, eating at the Clover Leaf.

**Put yourself in our shoes for A HAPPY HOLIDAY!**

Where will you spend the holiday? Family picnic? Fashionable resort? Your own backyard? There are COOL, COLORFUL SWING STEP FLATS to suit you PERFECTLY!

**\$1.99 \$2.99 \$3.99**

• White • Red • Green • White Bark • Panama • Pink • Pastel Blue • Brown Ombre • Blue Ombre • Mexican Multicolor

**TRIANGLE shoes** 241 HIGH ST.

**Nola's Beauty Salon**  
"Formerly Thelma's"

200 HIGH ST. 2nd Floor Phone 726

**GET ACQUAINTED SPECIAL!**  
Tuesdays & Wednesdays—  
During July

**PERMANENTS \$7.00**

Phone Early For an Appt.

Shop Today in Air-Conditioned Comfort—9:30 to 9

**PETER PAN**

now... **the New York STORE**

has everything under control!

**3.95**

**Hidden treasure bra**

creates curves—Exciting, 3/4 convertible bra, with under-wired cup, gives you the new high-fashion bustline plus perfect contours—adds fullness without pads! Detachable straps for all necklines: regular, halter, scoop, strapless! White broadcloth.

32 to 36 A cup, 32 to 36 B cup.

**YOUNG Egyptian Queen girdle**

banishes bulges—All-elastic with criss-cross bands, front and back, assures free-and-easy comfort minus inches from hipline and waistline! Small, medium and large—in white only. Panty.

**5.95**

**6.95**

Main Floor

at **KESSLER'S**

**Short, Sweet..... for Summer Slumber**

**"Cute as a Button" Shortie Pajamas**

**Tempo**

**5.95**

Tempo's little pinafore, checked gingham with embroidered nylon over-skirt and halter straps. Pink, blue, maize.

**3.95**

Tempo's clever little sleepy pinafore features a gingham checked skirt and trim panties. Pink, blue, maize.

**5.95**

Tempo's checked gingham shaped pinafore buttoned down the front and accented with flattering rows of lace. For cool sleeping—or patio playing. Pink, blue, maize.

**3.95**

**KESSLER'S** 264 HIGH STREET



# A Punch for Independence Day

By CECILY BROWNSTONE  
Associated Press Food Editor

**JULY FOURTH** and visitors come calling. Maybe they're on their way to the traditional Independence Day picnics.

Eggs have been stuffed, potato salad has been made, fried chicken has been packed into hamper. Now they stop to loll on their porch or relax in your cool living room.

Welcome your guests with a cool punch! Bake a pound cake in a tube pan and frost it in white.

Save a little of the frosting to color a bright pink and with a decorating tube write "A GAY 4TH" on your cake.

Perch four little flags at one side of the frosting; small fry won't be able to wait until you cut the cake so they can wave the Stars and Stripes.

Our Independence Day punch is made with a tangy tea base, then sugar and fruit juices go in to add more goodness. A cold drink both young and old will enjoy. Here's the recipe.

**INDEPENDENCE DAY PUNCH**  
Ingredients: 2 quarts cold water, 4 teaspoons loose tea or 12 tea bags, 2 cups sugar, 2 cups lemon juice, 2 cups orange juice, 1 cup bottled cranberry juice, 1 quart pineapple juice, sliced orange, maraschino cherries.

**Method:** Bring 1 quart of the water to a full rolling boil. Remove from heat and immediately pour over tea. Brew 5 minutes uncovered.

Stir and strain. Add sugar; stir until sugar dissolves. Cool at room temperature. At serving time, pour sweetened tea over ice block or ice cubes in punch bowl; add lemon juice, orange juice, cranberry juice and pineapple juice and remaining 1 quart water.

Mix well. Garnish with sliced orange and maraschino cherries.

**Note:** Use freshly brewed cold water in making the tea for the punch.

**QUICK TRICK FOR TEA**  
Know the way to add that extra little touch to cool refreshment? It's this sort of kitchen magic that helps make your reputation as an imaginative hostess. So simple, too! Serve iced tea with flavored ice cubes; here's how to make them.

**LEMON ICED TEA CUBES**  
Ingredients: 3 cups cold water, 3 tablespoons loose tea or 9 tea bags, 2 tablespoons sugar, 1/4 cup lemon juice.

**Method:** Bring water to a full rolling boil. Remove from heat and immediately pour over tea. Brew 4 minutes uncovered. Stir and strain. Stir in sugar and lemon juice. Pour into ice cube tray and freeze. When serving ice tea, add 3 to 4 iced tea cubes to each glass.

**Note:** Use freshly drawn cold water in making the tea for the punch.

**LAST WORD**  
Remember it's not necessary to refrigerate iced tea: refrigeration may cause clouding.

Freshly-brewed tea, cooled at room temperature, will be plenty cold when poured over a generous number of ice cubes.

If your tea does cloud, don't worry: cloudiness does not change the good flavor of the tea. However, for appearance sake, you might remember that a little boiling water poured into clouded tea usually brings back the original clear amber look.

**PINEAPPLE & STRAWBERRIES**  
Fresh pineapple makes a delightful dessert if you cut it in half, and then cut out the flesh. Now dice the pineapple you've cut out and mix it with strawberries; sweeten to taste. If the strawberries are small or medium-sized, they should be halved; if large, quarter them. Pile the fruit back into the pineapple shells, garnish with sprigs of mint or whole strawberries and serve. You'll need about six cups of fruit for two hollowed-out pineapple halves of medium or large size.

**MELODY CIRCLE**  
HE 5-9844  
3 MILES WEST OF ALLENTOWN, PA. — PHONE HE 5-9844  
ONE WEEK ONLY — BEG. MONDAY, JULY 4th  
THE LIFE AND MUSIC OF EDWARD GRIEG  
"SONG OF NORWAY"

YOU'LL THRILL TO GRIEG'S IMMORTAL MUSIC:  
"A-MINOR CONCERTO" — "PER GYNT SUITE"  
"STRANGE MUSIC" — "HILL OF DREAMS"

NINETEEN AT 8:30-2 SHOWS SAT.—6:30 and 9:15 P. M.  
PRICES: 1.50-2.20-2.80-3.40 Tax Inc.—SEATS NOW—  
SEND MAIL ORDERS TO BOX 1190—ALLENTOWN

"MEET THE STARS" and SEE FIREWORKS ON JULY 4th  
LAST 3 PERFS.  
TONITE and TOMORROW  
"WONDERFUL TOWN"

**FOREST PARK**  
"WHERE MOST PICNICS GO"  
CHALFONT

The place to spend the July 4th Holidays  
**FREE ATTRACTIONS**  
Sunday, July 3rd  
**UPTOWN STRING BAND**  
Monday, July 4th  
**BURNING STRING BAND**

VISIT FRONTIER TOWN  
• AMUSEMENTS • DRATING • REFRESHMENTS •

# Home Seamstresses Have a Wide Variety Of Manmade Fibers

Women who make their own clothes have a wide variety of fabrics from which to choose. Among these are fabrics of the new manmade fibers.

Manmade fibers have characteristics that distinguish them from the natural fibers, explains Mrs. Della Short, extension home economist, Montgomery county.

Nylon is a tough fiber combining strength with light weight. Nylon dries quickly and needs little or no ironing. The fiber is used alone or blended with other fibers. White nylon picks up color readily so washing white nylon separately from colored clothes is advised.

Dynel is strong and durable and is almost shrinkproof and stretchproof. It can be made to resemble a fabric made of natural fibers. Dynel holds pleats well, washes and dries easily, and gives warmth without bulk.

Vicara generally is blended with another fiber. It gives a cashmere-like softness at a price lower than cashmere. Vicara is shrink resistant.

Dacron is a crisp feel but when blended with other fibers it can have a soft finish that gives it a fine draping quality. Dacron dries quickly and needs little ironing. Its ability to retain pleats is outstanding. Dacron is wrinkle resistant and long wearing.

Orlon is wool-like in appearance. When blended with another fiber, Orlon can be made to look like that fiber. Orlon launders and dries easily, is spot resistant and wrinkle resistant, and is warm although light in weight.

Acrylic is lightweight, is soft to the touch, and is porous. Acrylic throws off moisture, making it an ideal fabric for warm weather.

# Marriage Licenses

Applications for marriage licenses were made in Berks county courthouse, Reading, by:

Lamar G. Hartline, Boyertown RD 1 and Audrey H. Borneman, Boyertown.

Raymond E. Conroy Jr., Birdsboro RD 2 and Grace N. Kohl, Reading.

Applications for marriage licenses were made in Montgomery county courthouse, Norristown, by:

Frederick F. Renninger, Perkiomenville RD 1 and Edith C. Hallman, Boyertown.

Paul A. Casner, Parkerford, and Mildred E. Jones, 1115 Rambler avenue, Pottstown.

John L. Pierson, Jenkintown and Virginia L. Heintz, East Greenville.

Edgar F. Fielding, Norristown and Gail L. Stadtman, Douglassville RD 1.

# SANATOGA SPEEDWAY EVERY SATURDAY NIGHT 8:30 o'Clock

**STOCK CAR RACES**  
HATFIELD SPEEDWAY EVERY SUNDAY NIGHT 8:30 o'Clock

# HIWAY DRIVE-IN

ON ROUTE 422 AT LIMERICK TONITE! 2 HITS IN COLOR!

**Cattle Queen of Montana**  
ALSO  
**SLAVES OF BABYLON**

Coming SAT. "DAVY CROCKETT INDIAN SCOUT" & John Wayne in "FLAME OF THE BARBARY COAST"

July 4-9  
**BRIGADOON**  
Starring Susanna Foster & Tony Havar

PRESIDENT EISENHOWER'S QUOTE: I urge all patriotic Americans to see this picture not only because of its dramatic appeal, but especially because of its patriotic and inspirational qualities.

**THE ETERNAL SEA**  
STERLING HAYDEN ALEXIS SMITH DEAN JAGGER  
Now! AIR-CONDITIONED HIPPODROME

THE STORY OF A MAN WHO SMASHED ALL BARRIERS TO SEE HIS DREAM IN THE SKIES.  
**HIT NO. 2 JOHNNY SHEFFIELD in "Lord of the Jungle"**

# Birthday Congratulations From The Mercury

**TODAY'S HOROSCOPE**  
The outlook is exceedingly auspicious and money will come easy, thanks to clever hunches. Make hay while the sun shines. Today's child will be fortune's favorite.

**TODAY**  
Dennis Mekosh, son of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Mekosh, 806 Queen street.

Harold Clyde Hafer Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold C. Hafer Sr., Manatawny.

Sharon Lee McAllister, 429 Lincoln avenue.

Gail Lawler, 329 Jefferson avenue.

John Kalis, Pottstown RD 4.

Jeanne Linderman, 853 South street.

Ann Graydus, 445 South street.

William Robert Collins son of William A. Collins, 577 Virginia avenue, eight years.

Sharon Lee McAllister, daughter of Al McAllister, 429 Lincoln avenue, two years.

Garson W. Wunderlich Jr., Douglassville RD 1.

Don Waters, 305 High street.

Tena Jane Sovizal, Pottstown RD 4.

Robert J. Gondal, son of Mrs. Anna Gondal, 124 South Evans street.

Janet Kozel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Kozel, 46 Fairview street, Stowe.

Betty Shellenberger, 813 North Adams street.

Vernon Jones, Spring City RD 1.

Mrs. Irene Mentzer, 11 Walnut street.

Linabelle Sears, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Bachman, Star Route.

Betty Jane Scheffey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Scheffey, 49 Chestnut street.

Donald Ellis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Ellis, 353 Laurel street.

Donald Norris, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Norris, Pottstown RD 4.

Virginia E. Ebert, Pottstown RD 4.

Wayne Alan Brackbill, Spring City RD 1.

Walter Favinger Sr., Pottstown RD 1.

Larry Rupe, Spring Mount.

D. Michael Sherer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Scherer, 364

West Chestnut street, 4 years old.

Lynn Stolar, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Stolar, 529 Lincoln avenue.

Jeffrey Crater, Grosstown road, Stowe.

Don J. Lash, Pottstown RD 2.

Robert Jay Sankey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Sankey, Limerick.

Robert John Gondal son of Mrs. Anna Gondal, 124 South Evans street.

Arlene Saylor, High street.

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY**  
Dennis Mekosh  
Arlene Saylor

Charles R. James, 330 Jefferson avenue.

James W. Jessum, Perkiomenville RD 1.

Evelyn Messer, Boyertown RD 2.

Mrs. Arthur Brunner, 21 Walnut street.

Richard Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Jones, Douglassville RD 2.

Mrs. Elmer Schott, Pottstown RD 4.

Robert Moore, son of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Moore, Spring City RD 1.

Joseph Hartmaier, Pottstown RD 1.

Abner S. Clemmer, 333 North Reading avenue, New Berlinville.

# THE 4th OF JULY WEEKEND

CALLS FOR Color Pictures

KODAK COLOR FILM here

H. F. SMITH & SON BOOKSELLER & STATIONER

100 N. CHARLOTTE ST. POTTSTOWN

# Richard M. Gingrich Showroom

22 N. Evans St., Pottstown

"Beautiful"—"Exquisite"—"Glamorous"—"Distinctive." These were the expressions of appreciation heard from our first visitors to describe the furniture displayed on our show floor; why not stop in and be convinced. See our presentation of French Provincial—English—Early American and Modern—Suites and Chairs made to your specifications.

Also Featuring:  
A Complete Guaranteed, Upholstery & Refinishing Service.

# WE SALUTE ALL MEMBERS OF THE UNITED STATES AIR FORCE

Both Past and Present

We also wish to salute the parents and wives of these great men!

Col. James Stewart of World War II fame as a flyer says every man, woman and child should see

**Strategic Air Command**

NOT BECAUSE IT IS A MOTION PICTURE, BUT BECAUSE IT'S A STORY OF THE MEN WHO CAN NEVER RELAX—IT'S THE STORY OF THEIR WOMEN WAITING AND WONDERING AND SOMETIMES WEeping!

It Shows Us Why We Can Thank God That We Are Americans.

A GLOWING TRIBUTE TO ALL THE MEN OF OUR AIR FORCES AND THEIR LOVED ONES!

Says Bill Gregory and Shorty Long

SEE AIR SHOW SAT. 1:00 P.M. on High St. Real Planes

JAMES STEWART-JUNE Strategic Air Command Color by TECHNICOLOR

SEE Air Force Equipment Display at Strand Men's Shop and Strand Theatre

Vistavision

**STRAND NOW**

**ST. JOHN TERRELL'S MUSIC CIRCUS**  
Lomberville, New Jersey  
Eves. 8:30 — Sun. Eve. 8:00  
Sat. Morn. 2:30  
Choice Seats Sunday Eves.  
June 23 - July 3  
**ME & JULIET**  
Prices 75c to \$3.50 — Mail Orders Filled, or Phone Lomberville 2-0695

**CLAMBAKE**  
EVERY SATURDAY NIGHT, 5 P.M. to 11:30 P.M.  
Reservation Appreciated — But Not Necessary

Clambake For Groups Any Time

**DANCING 9 to 12**  
Now Completely Air-Conditioned

Dinners Daily and Sunday — Buffet — Parties

**PERKIOMEN BRIDGE HOTEL**  
ROUTE 422 & 29 — COLLEGEVILLE 9511

**FOLLOW THE CROWDS TO DORNEY PARK**  
Always FREE PICNIC TABLES AND GROVES

THE GREATEST JULY 4th Celebration OF THEM ALL!

3 BIG DAYS SAT. SUN. MON. JULY 2-3 and 4

Everybody Welcome!

SENSATIONAL FREE Attraction!

"TEXAS" JIM ROBERTSON RCA VICTOR-T.V.-& MOVIE STAR Headlining an All-Star Holiday Cast

AUTO RACING SAT. SUN. & MON. JULY 2-3 & 4 8:30 P.M. EACH NITE

SWIMMING & BOATING 30 THRILL RIDES

Bite of the INN Open Every Day

dancing CASTLE GARDENS SAT. & MON. 9 to 12

FREE! FIREWORKS MONDAY JULY 4th

THE NATURAL SPOT

**DORNEY PARK**  
ALLENTOWN, PENNSYLVANIA



# Plan Your Next Picnic in Your Freezer

Whether it's an old-fashioned picnic, a beach supper, or a backyard barbecue, almost any food seems to taste better in the open air. Doing advance preparations with the aid of your freezer makes it a simple matter to be ready at any time to serve a delicious outdoor meal that the entire family can enjoy together.

The entire menu can be prepared in advance and stored in your freezer 'til family and weather condition see eye to eye on outdoor dining. Here are some suggestions from home economics director, Mrs. Sara Walls, to help you plan and prepare your next "freezer cook-out."

Hamburgers can be pre-shaped, ready for grilling, or wrapped individually in foil (perhaps with a cheese slice or spoonful of barbecue sauce) to go right into the coils. Serve in foil wrapper and you'll cut down on the dishwashing too.

Cheese-stuffed franks wrapped in bacon are a freezer fare that will be ready to cook on a grill or over an open fire. Kabobs of steak, mushrooms and bacon; ham, cakes, garlic bread, corn muffins, pineapple chunks and stuffed doughnuts, frozen fruits, cupcakes, olives; or beef balls, cheese cubes ice cream sundaes, cottage pudding and tiny cooked new potatoes all ing, and angel food cake. All of these can be prepared and stored in the freezer.

And here's another tip. Split bread and dessert suggestions or over an open fire. Kabobs of include apple pie, waffle short-steak, mushrooms and bacon; ham, cakes, garlic bread, corn muffins, pineapple chunks and stuffed doughnuts, frozen fruits, cupcakes, olives; or beef balls, cheese cubes ice cream sundaes, cottage pudding and tiny cooked new potatoes all ing, and angel food cake. All of these can be prepared and stored in the freezer.

Several freezer containers of chili, a meat loaf, barbecued spare-ribs, chop suey, baked beans, shrimp creole, even a good rich chowder, can be tucked into the picnic corner of the freezer. Be

sure to include plenty of your favorite barbecue sauce for basting steaks, hamburgers, pork chops or chickens.

It's a good time to consider your frozen corn on the cob, too. With each ear wrapped in foil, (include a pat of butter) you can roast it right in the coils. Toss up a crisp salad to complete the meal.

If the family prefers other vegetables, it takes only a matter of minutes to cook the frozen variety, which you can store in quantity in the freezer. Vegetables will lend color and flavor to any meal indoor or out.

Bread and dessert suggestions or over an open fire. Kabobs of include apple pie, waffle short-steak, mushrooms and bacon; ham, cakes, garlic bread, corn muffins, pineapple chunks and stuffed doughnuts, frozen fruits, cupcakes, olives; or beef balls, cheese cubes ice cream sundaes, cottage pudding and tiny cooked new potatoes all ing, and angel food cake. All of these can be prepared and stored in the freezer.

And here's another tip. Split bread and dessert suggestions or over an open fire. Kabobs of include apple pie, waffle short-steak, mushrooms and bacon; ham, cakes, garlic bread, corn muffins, pineapple chunks and stuffed doughnuts, frozen fruits, cupcakes, olives; or beef balls, cheese cubes ice cream sundaes, cottage pudding and tiny cooked new potatoes all ing, and angel food cake. All of these can be prepared and stored in the freezer.

For fillings try roast beef, ham,

meat loaf, lamb, chicken, turkey, cold cuts, cheese, peanut butter alone or in combination with bacon, pickle relish jelly or marmalade.

And, cream cheese with olives, crushed pineapple, chopped dried beef, marmalade or nuts; pimiento cheese; tuna fish salad (chop celery very fine, use cooked salad dressing instead of pure mayonnaise, and chop hard cooked eggs very fine if you use them), and many others.

Clean up time can be simple too, by using paper plates and cups for serving. Or line small wicker baskets with paper napkins and serve finger-style food in them.

Here are three recipes to try at your next cookout: they will add a plus to indoor meals also.

## BARBECUED SPARERIBS

1 1/2 cups water  
1/2 tsp. pepper  
1/2 tsp. salt  
1.3 cup brown sugar  
2 tsp. prepared mustard  
1/2 tsp. cayenne pepper  
3 thin slices lemon  
3 onions, sliced  
3/4 cup salad oil  
1/2 cups catsup  
1/2 cup Worcestershire sauce  
12 lbs. spareribs

Sauce: Mix all ingredients except catsup and Worcestershire sauce in a saucepan and simmer for 15 minutes. Add remaining two ingredients and bring to a boil. Set aside.

Place 12 lbs. lean ribs, cut in pieces, in a roaster pan with meaty side up. Brown in 450 degree oven for 30 minutes. Drain off fat. Pour sauce over ribs. Bake for 1 hour at 350 degrees F., basting about every 15 minutes. (Add water if necessary.) For an extra special rib dinner, add 1/2 cup chopped ripe olives to sauce about 10 minutes before ribs are done.

Serve the ribs for one meal, then freeze the remainder. Be sure to package the ribs in meal-sized amount. For serving, unwrap ribs, place in baking dish and bake 25 minutes at 350 degrees F.

## BAKED BEANS OLD WORLD

(serves 25)  
1 1/2 quarts of navy beans  
2 quarts of water  
2 1/2 onions, finely chopped  
1/2 lb. salt pork or bacon (cut in thick slices)  
1 tsp. salt  
1 cup molasses  
1/2 cup brown sugar  
1/2 cup catsup  
1/2 tsp. dry mustard  
1/2 tsp. ginger

Wash beans thoroughly. Place in large roaster pan or insert pan of electric roaster. Cover with water and soak overnight. Then simmer beans (covered) until skins are easily pierced - do not boil.

Bury the salt pork or bacon and onions in beans. Mix together the molasses, brown sugar, salt, mustard, catsup and ginger. Blend well with the beans.

Cool slowly until beans are done (4-5 hours). If you use oven, cook at 250 degree F. Serve for one meal and then package the rest for the freezer, when the beans are cooled. (For a quick lunch, spread defrosted beans on buttered bread. Top with a slice of cheese and broil.)

## BARBECUED BREAD

1/4 cup chopped onion  
2 tsp. margarine or butter  
2/3 cup chili sauce  
2 tsp. vinegar  
1 tsp. Worcestershire sauce  
2 tsp. brown sugar  
1/2 tsp. celery salt  
1/4 tsp. dry mustard

# Sweet Sixteen Not So Sweet These Days, Say 'Teen-agers in This 'Year of Suspense'

AP Newsfeatures

Being sixteen is not so exciting one young timer says.

Instead of being the glamorous age of firsts from high heels to girldie to lipstick to earrings to a real kiss, it is just an era of suspense. So says a pretty blond named Mary.

"Fifteen now does everything 16 used to do," she says. "Sixteen was from the sweet 16 party, sort of a sub-deb coming out event. But now 15 runs parties into the ground. Sixteen is just a lull 'til 17 which is a real glamorous age."

On the subject of dates "which are definitely an invention of 16ers," Mary says there is a problem. She explains:

"Some 16ers even steady date—a great departure from the norm. Just a few years ago sixteen weren't allowed to steady

date and you had to wait until you graduated from high school to get your engagement ring."

Sixteen, she says, "is just a stop gap between 15 and 17."

Seventeen is the marrying age says Mary. These days if you have a beau at 16, even if you've been steady dating from 15 your parents "wouldn't let you marry until you are 17. Maybe 18."

But that's just as well says Mary because somehow at 16 the boys who look good to you at 15 seem mighty juvenile.

On the other hand the boys you'd like to date only want older girls—17, 18, 19.

"Ever since I've been 16," says Mary, "it just sort of stopped dead in its tracks. I seem to be spending more time alone or with my girl friends, rather than on parties or planning dates."

"The whole trouble is I look 16. At 15 a girl looks like she's going to develop into something. At 17 she's done it. But 16 is neither fish nor fowl, and you just can't pretend."

Mary says that 16 is a good age for boning up on marriage. It is a good time to learn to cook, sew, do your own hair, and organize a hope chest, she says.

And that, says Mary, is one of the big occupations of her set—filling the hope chest. Girls are marrying so young that sometimes parents can't oblige with pretty things when the mortgage needs paying off. So the girls have hope chest hen parties at every opportunity, Mary says.

"We have trial showers on our birthdays. The girls plan a linen,

kitchen or other shower. Then all the girls bring an interesting shower gift for the hope chest."

Gifts are kept timeless, Mary says. You've got to avoid "colors, except for embroidery, and things like wall clocks or other items that might go out of style."

No danger of that happening these days, though says Mary. "When you get to be 17," she says with glowing eyes, "you just fight off the males, stand back and take your pick."

## Good Grooming

Since children have a strong desire to imitate, good grooming can become a habit more quickly with your youngster if they have your good example to follow.

So when you insist that they must wash their hands before meals, let them see you wash your hands, too. And you can aid an individualistic touch to the routine by giving each child a personal soap container and supply of hand towels.

Call The Mercury with newstips.

# Woman's Page

## LEBLANG'S HOUSEWARES

427 High St. — Phone 3345  
WE DELIVER

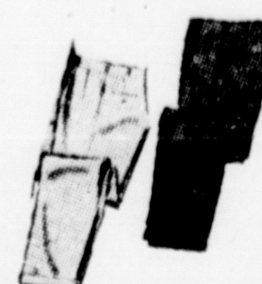
## FRI. & SAT. SPECIALS

Picnic Supplies for the Holiday Weekend

- Charcoal
- Grills
- Doggie Forks
- Charcoal Lighters
- Refrigerator Chests
- Canned Ice

# ENJOY YOUR HOLIDAY

In Comfortable Dressy Sportswear From Morris Miller



## SLACKS

For the Short or for the Stout man. 100% washable Dacron. \$5.95

## SHORTS \$2.95

## SPORT SHIRTS

All Styles and All Colors

\$1.95



## MORRIS MILLER

Not Connected with Any Other Store in Pottstown

311 HIGH ST.

PHONE 2889

# Geraldine Charles Becomes Bride of William J. Gilbert

St. Mark's Lutheran church, Pottstown, was scene of the recent marriage of Geraldine E. Charles, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Connie S. O'Connor, Chapel, and William J. Gilbert, Zionsville RD, son of Mr. and Mrs. Norman L. Gilbert.

A ballerina gown of white eyelet embroidery was worn by the bride. Her fingertip veil was draped to a crown of seed pearls. She carried a white Bible arranged with orchids.

Maid-of-honor Nancy Gilbert, sister of the bridegroom, wore a white organdie ballerina length dress embroidered in blue. A picture hat and basket of Spring flowers completed her outfit.

Dolores Conte, Palm, and Mrs. Beatrice Liptock, Allentown, wore white gowns embroidered in pink, identical in style to that of the honor attendant. They also wore picture hats and carried baskets of Spring flowers.

Jack Whitenight, Zionsville RD, served as best man. Ushers were Thomas Charles, brother of the bride, and John Liptock of Allentown.

Sisters of the bride, Connie Marie O'Connor and Frances O'Connor, were flower girls. Their brother, Marvin, was ring bearer. A reception followed the ceremony at Upper Milford firehall, Zionsville.

To start her wedding trip to Lake Wallenpaupak, the bride chose an orchid suit as traveling costume. When the couple returns their home will be with Alma Kells, Palm.

Mrs. Gilbert is a graduate of East Greenville High school and is employed by the Buffalo Woven Label company, Pennsburg.

Her husband is an alumnus of Emmaus High school, served three years overseas with the U. S. Army and is now employed at the Brewer and Kuhns garage, Allentown.



—Photo by Norman C. Diehl  
MR. AND MRS. WILLIAM J. GILBERT

Know news? Phone The Mercury, Pottstown 6000. You may earn extra money.

Join! Join!

## NEW MERCHANDISE CLUB

NOW FORMING

Join Today

## SCAVELLI

## SEWING CENTER

Hill Church Rd., E. Phila., Ave., Berchtelsville, Boyertown

PHONE 7-2532

## Protective Covering

Whether your thumb is "green" or just a pretty pink, an inexpensive new type of gloves can be your best gardening companion.

Made of soft yellow flannel with polka-dotted plastic palms, these gloves are completely water repellent and as hardy as your favorite perennials.

They can be washed in soap and water, will never shrink out of fit, and will also serve as handy protectors when you're doing household chores.

## LAUNDRY TIP

Shake clothes well before putting soiled clothes in washing machine or tub. It's make the washing job easier.



## Dresses

COTTONS

NYLONS

BEEMBERGS

Reg. 3.75

2.59 EA.

2 for \$5

## ROSEMONT SHOPPE

24 MOSER ROAD

## FRIDAY & SATURDAY SPECIAL

While It Lasts

48 Inch Plain Color

DRAPERY

Reg. 1.50 Value 50c yd.

Downstairs

Store

At the Entrance to the Bell Telephone Business Office.

## BEAT THE HEAT... WITH A DELICIOUS COOL

SUMMER TREAT

— AT —

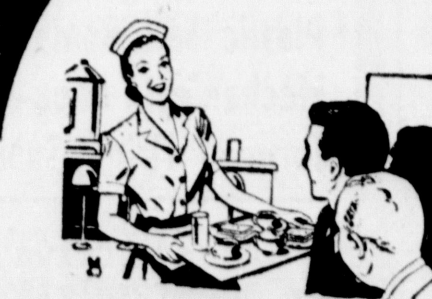
## TOMMY'S DAIRY BAR

At 422 W. High St.

FEATURING CURB SERVICE

Windshields Cleaned FREE

## Businessmen's Lunch Served as You Like It



Relax over lunch with colleague or client. Always a tempting selection of hearty dishes.

## Bause's Super DRUG STORES

Pottstown — Boyertown — Allentown

## We Were Rained Out Last Saturday, But Will Try Again!

## KENILWORTH PLAYGROUND FESTIVAL

SATURDAY, JULY 2

Supper Begins at 4:30 P.M.

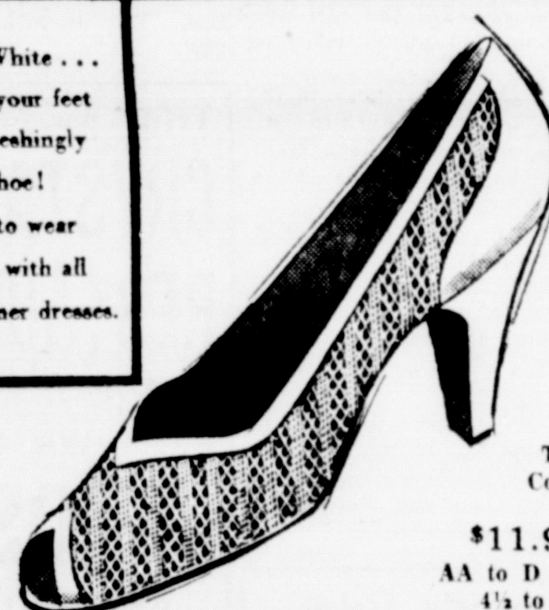
Games . . . Refreshments . . . Pony Rides

Free Gate Prizes

## Red Cross Shoes

This product has no connection whatever with The American National Red Cross

Gardenia White . . . flowers at your feet in this refreshingly cool new shoe! Choose it to wear beautifully with all your summer dresses.



The Coolie

\$11.95

AA to D width

4 1/2 to 10

Largest selling brand of fine footwear in the world.

Styles from \$8.95 to \$11.95

## Boston Shoe Store

259 High Street, Pottstown, Penna.

## HARTENSTINE'S FOOD MARKET

660-662 WALNUT ST. — PHONE 677-678 — WE DELIVER

SPECIALS THRU SATURDAY

Shop in Air-Conditioned Comfort

EXTRA SPECIAL—Pear Shaped CANNED HAMs 9 lb. — 69c

DUBUQUE HAMs (Whole or Half) . . . lb. 69c

DUBUQUE SANDWICH STYLE HAMs . . . can \$3.19

SPICED LUNCHEON MEAT . . . 1/2 lb. 25c

MIXED LUNCHEON MEAT . . . 1/2 lb. 25c

WHITE AMERICAN CHEESE . . . 1/2 lb. 25c

CUT-UP FRYING CHICKENS . . . 2-lb. box 93c

Fresh Young CHICKEN LEGS & BREASTS . . . lb. 79c

IMPORTED HOLLAND HAMs . . . 2-lb. can \$1.98

FRESH MADE POTATO SALAD . . . lb. 25c

FRESH MADE BAKED BEANS . . . lb. 25c

STEAMING CLAMS . . . per hundred \$2.50

FLORIDA SOLID TOMATOES . . . pkg. 19c

CALIFORNIA SUNKIST LEMONS . . . doz. 29c

CALIFORNIA SUNKIST ORANGES . . . doz. 39c

CALIFORNIA CANTALOUPES . . . each 25c

PICTURE LEMONADE MIX . . . can 15c or 3 for 39c

LEHIGH VALLEY ICE CREAM . . . 1/2 gal. 79c

MUTTERS FRESH POTATO CHIPS . . . lb. bag 49c

MONTCO CRISP PICKLES (Kosher, Dill or Sour) Jar 25c



## ORTHOFIRM Bedding Shifman

Now with famous SANOTUFF® feature

NO BUTTONS • NO ANNOYANCE



SANIPOSTURE \$69.50

Matching Box Spring—\$69.50

Don't sacrifice comfort! Choose the bedding that gives you both the firm support you need to keep your vertebrae in line and enough surface resilience to let your muscles relax. Shifman Orthofirm Mattresses have a specially constructed inner spring unit, made of extra heavy gauge, double tempered steel, and a sturdy insulation that forms a flexible, but firm base for the fine quality, buoyant cotton padding. Patented Sanotuffing gives you a surface that will not get lumpy — yet eliminates the annoyance of buttons.

\*Patented Contour Tufting

OTHER SHIFMAN MATTRESSES

From \$39.50 to \$89.50 . . . . .

10 YEAR GUARANTEE

The WILKE furniture house

TERMS IF DESIRED PHONE 1012

QUEEN AT MADISON

Pottstown's Only Authorized Hoover Cleaner

Sales and Service







# All-Star Voting Ends Today

A mad rush to get under the wire was made yesterday by Mercury All-Star Baseball contest voters as 108 ballots were received. The deadline in the \$25 cash prize contest is noon today. All ballots must be in the Mercury office by that time or they do not count.

Yesterday's surge carried the ballot total up close to the 700 mark. It was the biggest

day of voting since the contest started more than three weeks ago. The news that Roy Campanella may miss the July 12 All-Star game at Milwaukee because of a fractured kneecap was apparently taken with a grain of salt by most of the contestants.

A few scattered votes for St. Louis' Bill Sarni and Milwaukee's

Del Crandall came in, but the majority were for Campy. Maybe they figure baseball injuries have a way of healing faster than at first expected.

IT IS INTERESTING to note that Harry Chiti, the Chicago Cubs young receiver in the runnerup spot behind Campanella. As the polls prepare to close on

one of the most successful of all Mercury All-Star contests, the voters who plan to bring their ballots in this morning should keep in mind that batting orders are important.

The national poll, which also closes today, gives a fair idea about who the starters will be, although it will be several days before all the votes are counted.

Therefore, late voters should be careful with their batting orders, trying to figure out how managers Leo Durocher and Al Lopez will arrange their players.

The \$25 cash prize is waiting for the fan whose ballot matches the starting lineup, or comes closest to the starting lineup, of the All-Star teams.

The total National vote has climbed to 4,239,317, about 13,000 shy of last year's final count of 4,272,470.

The leaders:

NATIONAL LEAGUE  
First base—Kluszewski, Cincinnati, 1,132,654; Munsie, St. Louis, 1,124,516.  
Second base—Baker, Chicago, 1,126,207; Schoendienst, St. Louis, 1,119,812.  
Third base—Mathews, Milwaukee, 1,113,918; Jackson, Chicago, 1,118,243.  
Shortstop—Logan, Milwaukee, 1,137,948; Banks, Chicago, 1,129,204.  
Left field—Lockman, New York, 1,114,904; Ennis, Philadelphia, 1,111,302.  
Center field—Snider, Brooklyn, 1,132,618; Ashburn, Philadelphia, 1,131,441.  
Right field—Miller, New York, 1,133,417; Aaron, Milwaukee, 1,134,115.  
Catcher—Campanella, Brooklyn, 1,166,208; Chiti, Chicago, 433,162.

AMERICAN LEAGUE  
First base—Vernon, Washington, 1,124,508; Power, Kansas City, 1,083,643.  
Second base—Fox, Chicago, 1,136,772; Avila, Cleveland, 1,122,076.  
Third base—Ferguson, Kansas City, 1,119,538; Kell, Chicago, 1,113,614.  
Shortstop—Kuenn, Detroit, 1,134,886; Carrasquel, Chicago, 1,121,903.  
Left field—Williams, Boston, 1,131,792; Zernial, Kansas City, 1,094,142.  
Center field—Mantle, New York, 1,151,266; Doby, Cleveland, 1,104,728.  
Right field—Kalinowski, Detroit, 1,156,326; Bauer, New York, 861,733.  
Catcher—Berra, New York, 1,162,513; Lollar, Chicago, 749,288.

## GI Raiders Fall, 8-4

## PAR Takes City Softball Lead; Diamond Glass Halts PAA, 6-1

STANDINGS  
W L  
PAR 7 2 Doehlers 4 3  
St. John's 5 2 PAA 3 5  
GI Raiders 6 3 Edlers 2 6  
Diamond Glass 5 3 Holy Trinity 0 8

The City Softball league race opened up slightly last night as Pottstown Auto Refinishing broke a first-place tie by handing GI Raiders their third loss, 8-4. In the other half of the CSL doubleheader, Diamond Glass stayed hot on the trail of the leaders with a 6-1 win over Pottstown Athletic association.

In the big struggle for first place, PAR sewed up its seventh win early with four runs in the first inning. The Raiders were still battling as late as the seventh inning when they scored a run, but winning pitcher Sonny Roen had the situation under control.

He allowed eight hits, but did not walk a man. Loser Frank Levengood was nipped for 11 bingles, including four by Ralph Gonder who had a perfect night at the dish.

Gerry Leyer also enjoyed a good night for the winners as he connected for a pair of doubles. Tom Wentzel and Jack Dilliplane each had a pair of hits for the Raiders.

DIAMOND GLASS also made certain of its win with heavy scoring in the early innings while PAA saved its run until the last frame. Ed Koneski hurled for Diamond and Fran Yonkovich took the defeat.

Bucky Walters and Sadie Cassaboon were the hitting stars for the winners. Walters socked a homer and Cassaboon had a pair of singles as the Glassers collected eight hits.

Bits Umstead collected half of PAA's six hits with a double and two singles. Snook Moore had a pair of one-baggers and Bart Marquette, who scored PAA's only run, batted his team's other hit.

PAA  
Diamond Glass  
ab. r. h. ab. r. h.  
Marquette, cf 3 1 1 Garner, cf 3 0 1  
Umstead, 2b 3 0 3 Walters, ss 4 2 1  
Saraceni, 3b 4 0 1 Gresh, 2b 2 1 1  
Seyer, c 3 0 0 Wadsworth, lf 3 1 1  
Lees, ss 3 0 0 Cleveland, 3b 2 0 0  
Monogh, mcf 3 0 0 Cassaboon, rf 3 0 2  
Roads, rf 2 0 0 Riemers, lf 2 1 1  
Moore, lf 3 0 2 Dinch, c 3 1 1  
Yonkovich, p 2 0 0 Koneski, p 3 0 0  
Marsden, rf 1 0 0 Kutz, 2b 1 0 0  
White, at p 1 0 0

Totals 28 1 6 Totals 27 6 8  
PAA 0 0 0 0 0 1-1  
Diamond Glass 12 2 1 0 0 6-1  
E-Riemers, Rhoads, Marsden, 2B—  
Umstead, HR—Walters, BB—By Yonkovich 3, Koneski 1, SO—By Koneski 1, WINNER—Koneski, LOSER—Yonkovich.

GI Raiders PAR  
ab. r. h. ab. r. h.  
Wentzel, cf 3 2 2 Seafroos, 3b 3 1 1  
P Levengood, c 4 1 0 Gonder, c 4 2 4  
Dilliplane, lf 4 0 2 Kramer, lf 4 1 1  
Braunsb's, 3b 4 0 1 Keller, lf 2 1 1  
Esick, ss 2 0 0 Edelman, lf 2 1 1  
Chern'sky, cf 3 0 0 Krickzy, cf 3 0 0  
N Levengood, 3b 3 0 1 Lever, ss 4 1 2  
F. Saylor, 2b 2 0 0 Brown, 2b 1 0 0  
F Levengood, p 3 0 1 Roen, p 3 0 1  
G Levengood, 2 0 1 Glutz, 2b 1 0 0  
J Levengood, 1 1 1 Beckley, rf 0 0 0

Totals 31 4 8 Totals 30 8 11  
GI Raiders 10 2 0 0 1-4  
PAR 4 2 1 0 0 8-4  
E-Gonder, Keller, Krickzy, Dilliplane, Esick, F. Levengood, 2B—Edelman, Lever 2, Dilliplane, Braunsb's, 3B—Leighton, SAC—Edelman, Seafroos, Keller, BB—Off Roen 4, F. Levengood 1, SO—By Roen 4, F. Levengood 1, WINNER—Roen, LOSER—F. Levengood.

Palm Loses, 9-3, To Allentown Club

The Allentown Patriots, behind the pitching Miller brothers topped Palm, 9-3, last night in an exhibition softball game.

Ed, Bob and Fred Miller combined to limit the losers to five hits as Kermit Kemp hurled for Palm and gave up 10 safeties.

Palm's best hitting came in the second inning when Willie Stout and Paul Barnard hit triples to boost their team into a temporary, 3-2 lead.

Allentown bunched two singles and two doubles to score five runs in the sixth to win the game.

## Pottstown Mercury

## SPORTS

FRIDAY, JULY 1, 1955

PAGE 25

## Kimberton Homers Beat St. Gabes, 5-3; Bracelin, Ray Connect Back-to-Back

The home run ball helped Kimberton pad its lead in the French Creek Valley league last night as Tom Bracelin and Allen Ray hit back-to-back blasts to sink St. Gabriel, 5-3.

The Gabes were leading 3-2

when Bracelin caught one of pitcher Bill Wilkinson's pitches and

drove it for a homer. Ray duplicated the feat and Kimberton took the lead, 4-3.

Lefty Ray Slawewski got off to a poor start as he worked on the mound for the winners, but after the first inning only three St. Gabes runners reached base.

The Stowe team, playing on its home West Pottsgrove field, fell behind, 2-0, in the first inning as triples by Thomas and Spieth produced Kimberton runs.

But in the bottom of the frame, Tony Clori, Vince Colotasi and Al Dori hit consecutive singles, Dori driving in a run. A walk to Wilkinson loaded the bases and Gene Orandosh rapped a two-run single.

Sam DiGlosia hurled good relief ball after taking over for Wilkinson with one out and two runs in during the third inning uprising. DiGlosia gave up two hits and one run during his term on the mound.

Kimberton St. Gabriel  
ab. r. h. ab. r. h.  
Bracelin, c 4 1 1 Geisler, ss 4 1 0  
Ray, ss 4 1 1 Nore, lf 3 0 0  
Thomas, 2b 3 1 0 Clori, cf 3 1 1  
B. Wilson, 3b 1 1 0 Colotasi, c 3 1 1  
Spieth, cf 3 1 2 Dori, lf 3 0 0  
Alexander, 3b 3 0 0 Wilkinson, p 2 0 0  
Beckel, lf 3 0 0 DiGlosia, p 1 0 1  
J. Wilson, rf 3 0 0 Orandosh, 3b 3 0 0  
Slawewski, p 3 0 1 Neiman, 2b 3 0 0  
Fontana, rf 2 0 0

Totals 30 5 6 Totals 27 3 7  
Kimberton 20 3 0 0 0 5-3  
St. Gabriel 7 0 0 0 0 2-5  
E—Neiman, 2B—Neiman, 3B—  
Thomas, Spieth, HR—Bracelin, Ray, BB—Off Slawewski 1, SO—By Slawewski 8, Wilkinson 1, WINNER—Slawewski, LOSER—Wilkinson.

Optimists' Practices

The Optimists of the Knee-Hi league will hold a practice this afternoon, 1 o'clock at Far fields.

Other scheduled practice sessions are:

Tuesday, 6 p. m., at Far fields.

Wednesday, 6 p. m., at Far fields.

Prospects Bright for Bass Season

The battle for bass begins today and will continue in Pennsylvania for the next five months.

At 1:01 o'clock this morning the big news was strikes. On area streams and ponds, the strikes were of a more pleasant nature than those being discussed in town.

That was the starting time and quite a few early birds were reported taking advantage of the warm night along the Perkiomen creek.

In the immediate Pottstown area, activity is expected to be light. The Schuylkill river is regarded as an ever-improving bass location, but along Pottstown's shores where the silt was never removed during the big cleanup program.

But the Black Rock pool above Phoenixville and Vincent dam near Linfield are regarded as good bass sites in the Schuylkill.

Horace Pyle, State fish warden for Chester county, said last night that the Schuylkill was stocked with small bass, 2 to 4 inches, the past Fall.

"WE EXPECT that river to become better each year for bass fishing," Pyle said last night.

The Manatony creek usually attracts its quota of bass fishermen and while the catch is never high, the good anglers don't always go home disappointed.

French creek, the favorite trout stream in this area, has some bass in it but the more persistent trout fishermen are still dipping for their brownies and brooks. The creek was recently restocked with a good supply of trout.

Lamar Smith, secretary and head of the fish committee of the Boyertown Rod and Gun club, rates the Perkiomen and Swamp creek, from Gilbertsville to Zeiglerville, as two of the best local bass locations.

Smith, his wife, and Mr. and Mrs. Steward Rothenberger, of Boyertown, will leave today for White Lake, Ontario, Canada, where they will spend 10 days at a fishing lodge.

"We're going after bass and great northern pike, but primarily bass," Smith said. Rothenberger is a muskellunge.

Bass to be legal must be at least nine inches long with the legal daily take six largemouth

or smallmouth bass or a combination of the two.

Pickering must be 15 inches long and the take is also six a day.

The walleyes—technically known as the State Fish commission as He said some bass are caught in the Montgomery county park lake, inches long, and again the legal take is six a day.

The limit on pike is four a day and the must measure at least 16 inches.

The prize game fish of Pennsylvania, the muskellunge, must measure 24 inches and the daily limit is two.

## KING OF THE WELTERS - - By Alan Maver



## Former Sanatoga Feature Winners, Minus Mose Moore, Compete Again

Only one of 11 past feature victors will be missing tomorrow night

when the All Stars Stock Car Racing Club uncorks its regular seven-event card at Sanatoga Speedway.

Mose Moore, who captured the year's first 30-lap main event in record time, will be among the missing this week while he nurses a fractured arm back to health. The Pottstown driver was injured last week in racing action at Reading.

However, the remaining 19 past winners, along with 30 or more other aspiring young drivers will be on hand for the savage action that has marked each of 11 racing installments this year on the fifth-mile, blacktopped oval.

PAST WINNERS have been Norman Kidd, Don Allison, Dick Rodenberger, Warren Mutter, Monk Kellar, Bill Ellis, Harry Moore, George Sleight and Charley Kelly.

Leading the pack of drivers who have yet to win and may come through at any given race are Reds Lesher current point leader, Jimmy Ryan, Rocky Ewing, Paul and George Gregory, Harry Maxwell, Curt Sherman, Bob Levengood and Dave Haldeman.

Heat races will begin at 8:30 o'clock Saturday night.

## Fur, Fin and Campfire

By JACK SORDS

THE LARGemouth BASS IS ONE OF THE MOST POPULAR AMONG FRESH WATER FISH. IT GROWS MUCH LARGER THAN THE SMALLMOUTH (WORLD'S RECORD IS 22 1/2 POUNDS) AND DIFFERS ALSO IN THAT ITS JAW JOINT EXTENDS BEYOND THE EYE. ON THE SMALLMOUTH THE JAW JOINT ENDS DIRECTLY BELOW THE EYE.

WHEN FISHING WITH LIVE BAIT SUCH AS FROGS OR MINNOWS, DON'T ATTEMPT TO SET THE HOOK AT THE FIRST STRIKE. BASS OFTEN GRAB BODIES FIRST BY THE LEGS AND MINNOWS BY THE TAIL. GIVE HIM A CHANCE TO MOUTH IT ALL.

RETRIEVE SLOWLY. BASS LIKE TO SIZE UP THE QUARRY BEFORE STRIKING. A SLOW RETRIEVE WILL GIVE HIM THAT CHANCE.

FOR REAL FISHING THRILLS, GO AFTER SMALLMOUTHS. WITH A SURFACE LURE, STRIKES COME UNEXPECTEDLY AND WITH A BANG.

Distributed by King Features Syndicate

## Methodists Tie for 2d

## Coventryville Scores 5-2 Win Over Bethel

STANDINGS  
W L  
Trinity 6 3 Coventry 3 5  
Emmanuel 4 2 Baptist-Bethel 3 5  
Coventryville 4 2 St. Peter's 0 4  
First Baptist 3 2

A rash of scoring in the late innings gave Coventryville Methodist a 5-2 win over Baptist-Bethel last night in the Sunday School league.

Packing all its run-making into the fifth and sixth innings, Coventry won its fourth game to move into a second-place tie with Emmanuel Lutheran.

Bethel made its bid in the final frame after winning pitcher Frank Fries had allowed only four hits up to that point.

Bill Brown started the Baptists' late rally with a double and Bus Brown thumped a triple to right-

center. He scored the losers' second run on Mel Howard's single. Fries then struck out the last three batters to boost his total to 14.

COVENTRYVILLE won the game in the fifth with three runs. Ken Batdorf instigated the uprising with a double and moved to third on Sam Porter's single. Bud Betcher lofted a fly to left that allowed Batdorf to score the first run.

Bob Hilligas' single moved Porter to third and he raced home when the throw from right fielder Skip Jackson went past Toogie Oliver at third. Lowell Fries' deep fly drove in Hilligas from third to end the rally.

Two errors, a single by Porter and Betcher's double accounted for two more Methodist runs in the sixth.

Len Ricketts was the losing pitcher, giving eight hits.

Baptist-Bethel Coventry Methodist  
ab. r. h. ab. r. h.  
Beasley, 3b 2 0 0 L. Fries, 2b 2 0 1  
Laws, ss 2 0 0 Carly, c 3 0 1  
Glenn, cf 3 0 0 Fries, p 4 0 1  
Ricketts, p 3 0 1 Batter, lf 2 0 0  
W. Brown, 2b 3 1 3 Moses, ss 3 0 0  
B. Brown, lf 3 1 1 Batdorf, cf 2 2 1  
Howard, c 3 0 2 Porter, lf 3 2 2  
Barber, lf 3 0 0 Hartz, lf 0 0 0  
Clifford, rf 1 0 0 Freeze, 2b 1 0 0  
Jackson, rf 1 0 0 Betcher, 2b 1 0 1  
T. Oliver, 3b 2 0 0 Hilligas, 2b 1 1 1  
a-A. Oliver 1 0 0 Hisey, lf 1 0 0

Totals 27 2 7 Totals 24 5 8  
a-For Clifford in 5th, safe on error.  
Baptist-Bethel 0 0 0 0 0 2-2  
Coventry Methodist 5 0 0 0 3 2 5-2  
E-L. Fries, Jackson, Barber, Carly, RBI—Betcher 2, L. Fries, Porter, B. Brown, Howard, 2B—Betcher, W. Brown, J. Brown, DP—Ricketts to Howard to Barber, BB—Off Ricketts 2, Fries 1, HBP—By Ricketts (L. Fries), SO—By Ricketts 2, Fries 14, WINNER—Fries (1-2), LOSER—Ricketts (0-1), U—Roos and Wentzel.

## WORKERS PLAY QUAKERTOWN

Dale Kirby has been named by Manager Pat Sundstrom to pitch for USWA 2326 tonight as the Workers host Quakertown Legion in a Bucks-Mont league game at Memorial field No. 1.

Kirby owns both of USWA's wins as they have chalked up a 2-1 record and are awaiting a decision from District 9 headquarters on a protested tie game against Perkiomen.

The game will begin at 6:15 o'clock. Sundstrom plans no other lineup changes.

## smartest idea for summer:



buy  
2  
color-  
coordinated

## PALM BEACH suits

at \$32.50 each



have 4 smart, cool outfits

When you select two of our Palm Beach suits in "go-together" colors, then mix or match, you actually have four outfits. Smart? Of course! And smart-looking, too, because Palm Beach is tailored, with the perfect-fitting Million Dollar Collar and with easy, natural lines that are so popular today. Colors include blues and greys, browns and tans, charcoal and ivory. See them today!



Palm Beach Cool-Trim \$32.50  
Palm Beach Sport Coats \$27.95  
Palm Beach, Luxury Lined \$39.95

\*Reg. T.M. Goodall-Sanford, Inc. Mohair, rayon, acetate and 5% nylon, in most styles.



General Electric  
**OSCILLATING FAN \$17.95**  
\$2.00 DOWN \$1.25 WEEKLY  
● Ideal for office or home  
● Quiet operation  
● Mist-gray finish, chrome guard  
Keep cool with this economical, finely-built fan. Gives a powerful breeze, runs very quietly... Use as desk fan or mount on wall.

**B.F. Goodrich**  
FIRST IN RUBBER—FIRST IN TUBELESS

130 HIGH ST. . . . Phone 146

PHILADELPHIA  
**MUNICIPAL STADIUM**  
Friday, July 1  
8:30 P.M.

**MIDGET AUTO RACES**

All Seats \$1.50

Refreshment  
at its very best

...in beer as beer should be

**Schmidt's**  
OF PHILADELPHIA  
Beer-Ale

C. SCHMIDT & SONS, INC., PHILA., PA.  
(All Times D.S.T.)  
SCHMIDT'S ON TELEVISION • Mon. 10:30 P.M.—MAYOR OF THE TOWN—WPZ Channel 3 • Tues. 10:30 P.M.—STAGE "5"—WFL TV Channel 6 • Thurs. 10:00 P.M.—MYSTERY HOUR—WPZ Channel 3 • SCHMIDT'S ON RADIO • Mon. thru Sat. 6:10 P.M.—"Sports with Bill Campbell," WCAL.

DISTRIBUTOR  
**FRANK A. SMITH**  
548 King Street, Pottstown, Pa.  
Phone: Pottstown 2205



# HENLEY REGATTA DOMINATED BY U. S., RUSSIANS

Reds in Borrowed Shell Beat Top British Crew

HENLEY-ON-THAMES, England, June 30 (AP)—American and Russian oarsmen took charge of the Royal Henley regatta today, turning the races into a carnival of foreigners' painful for British spectators to behold.

Four American eights—the Pennsylvania light and heavy crews, the Massachusetts Institute of Technology and Dartmouth swept aside challengers in their various heats.

The Russians scored heat victories in everything they entered.

The Russians even pulled an audacious trick, the Karsnoe Znamia club winning a hard fought opening heat in the difficult Grand Challenge Cup event with a borrowed boat.

They had been so upset by the late arrival of their four boats because of a dock strike in Britain that they withdrew from the whole show. But they re-entered when their boats were finally delivered late last night. Then, at the last moment, they decided not to use their own shells for eight anyway.

With a boat borrowed from Oxford, they scored a nip and tuck victory over Jesus College, Cambridge, in a time of 7 minutes 1 second. That is fast over the one mile, 550 yard stretch of the Thames river, but it does not approach records.

JESUS COLLEGE is this year's "head of the river crew," unofficial designation of oarsmen regarded as just about the best on the Thames.

The University of Pennsylvania's heavy crew, 177 pounders, also took a heat in the grand challenge event, which is Henley's Senior competition. But the Pennsylvanians were not crowded by the London rowing club "A" crew, and came home without effort in 7 minutes and 14 seconds, 13 seconds slower than the Russians.

In the grand challenge semifinal tomorrow the Pennsylvania heavies will meet the Thames Rowing club, which has a big reputation in Britain. The Russians, fighting to hold the Grand Challenge Cup, will be pitted against the Vancouver (Canada) Rowing club which hasn't raced yet.

The American eights weren't extended much today, but all coaches beamed satisfaction over impressive victories.

"Why use more power than is necessary," commented Jim McMillan, the MIT coach.

In the Thames Challenge Cup event MIT, the holders, were a smart three lengths ahead of St. Catherine's college, Cambridge.

DARTMOUTH BEAT Crowland (England) rowing club and by the luck of the draw Dartmouth meets the MIT oarsmen in the quarter finals tomorrow. The Pennsylvania light crew will meet the Royal Air Force. There are no Russians in the Thames contest.

## Trabert-Seixas Dumped in Wimbledon Doubles

# Beverly Fleitz Trips Doris Hart

WIMBLEDON, England, June 30 (AP)—Beverly Baker Fleitz played smashing, winning tennis with both hands to drop the curtain on Doris Hart at Wimbledon today in the biggest upset in women's tennis this year.

Ambidextrous Beverly of Santa Monica, Calif., a slim, pretty, 25-year old mother, defeated her veteran opponent from Coral Gables, Fla., in the semi-finals 6-3, 6-0.

This defeat of the top-seeded woman player followed an equally stunning upset of America's Davis Cup doubles team in the semi-finals. First-seeded Tony Trabert 6-3.

of Cincinnati and Vic Seixas of Philadelphia lost a very loosely set up an All-California women's final to be played Saturday.

In the companion piece Louise Brough of Beverly Hills—three times a Wimbledon champion—defeated the darling of the 69th Wimbledon, Darlene Hard of Long Beach, Calif., 6-3, 8-6.

The victory of Rosewall and Fraser assured an All-Australian men's doubles final. Second-seeded Lew Hoad and Rex Hartwig filled the other final bracket, beating Mervyn Rose and George Worthington 7-9, 6-4, 6-4, 2-6, 6-1.

The 24-year old Trabert meets Kurt Nielsen of Denmark tomorrow (starting 9 a. m., Pottstown time) for the biggest thing in tennis—the men's singles title of Wimbledon.

This tournament is so important that it might just as well be called "the world championship."

NIELSEN REACHED the finals two years ago only to lose to Seixas. He was unseeded then and is unseeded again this year. The only other time since the golden age of sports—the 1920's—when an unseeded man played in the Wimbledon finals was when Wilmer Allison, an American, made it in 1930. He lost to big Bill Tilden.

They have met three times previously—each time on grass courts and each time Trabert won. Another factor pointing toward Trabert's superiority is that he has not lost a set in all of this Wimbledon tournament while Nielsen has had to go all out several times to win.



MORE "GO" FOR GO-GO BOYS—Addition to the fleet Jim Busby to the White Sox outfield gives the Windy City boys the fastest outfield in baseball. The speedsters (from left) are Minnie Minoso, Busby and Jim Rivera. Busby was acquired from the Nats in a trade.

## Shamrocks Down Kenilworth, 9-1, to Tie for Loop Lead

Top-notch pitching continued in the Junior league last night as Jan Fritz hurled four-hit ball to pace Shamrocks to a 9-1 win over Kenilworth. The victory moves the Rocks into a tie for first with undefeated Joy Street Hotel.

In the past two Junior league games, Barry Irey and Pete Hoover hurled no-hit, no-run jobs, each allowing only one walk.

It was a tight game until the fifth when the Shamrocks bunched four of their six hits and made the most of several Kenilworth errors to score seven runs. Eleven men batted during the rally.

Joe Reider's two-run double provided the "Clover-Leaf" boys with enough runs to win in the third inning.

BUT KENILWORTH threatened in the fourth when Les Pellicotti and Jim Zelenak singled and an error allowed the losers to score. Singles by Fritz, Dave Krause, Dick Wells and Gary Raybold highlighted the seven-run uprising.

Bob McElroy, who has singled, and Raybold, on base on a walk, scored in the third on Reider's double.

Jim Huy, who had one of Kenilworth's four hits, took the mound loss. Fritz struck out 13 and walked only two.

Shamrocks	Kenilworth
Wells, ss 2 1 1	Hartung, ss 3 0 1
Raybold, cf 2 1 1	Skarbeck, 2b 3 0 0
Arlin, 1b 3 1 0	Shanley, rf 2 0 0
Reider, 3b 3 1 1	Huy, p 3 0 1
Krause, 2b 4 1 1	Zelenak, cf 3 0 1
Christman, lf 3 0 0	Handley, 3b 2 0 0
McElroy, c 3 3 1	McLain, 1b 3 0 0
Bloom, 1b 2 0 0	Stavler, lf 2 0 0
Leuthold, 2b 1 0 0	Skarbeck, c 0 0 0
Kowalski, lf 1 0 0	
Totals 31 9 6	Totals 25 1 4

## Elks Nip Kenilworth Knee-Hi's, 4-3, Behind Petro's 2-Hit Relief Pitching

Elks edged Kenilworth 4-3, last night to take over first place in the Knee-Hi league, dropping the Chester county boys into a four-

Nick Petro came in as a relief pitcher in the first inning and allowed only two hits the rest of the way as the Elks won their third straight without a loss.

Both teams scored a pair of runs in the first inning, but the winners broke the deadlock in the sixth with two more. Kenilworth

Elks	Kenilworth
Wells, ss 3 0 0	Berman, ss 2 1 1
Kenilworth, 2b 1 1 0	Levensood, cf 1 2 0
Linfield, 1b 2 1 0	Orlows, 1b 2 0 0
Optimists, 2b 2 1 0	Trinity, 1b 0 0 0
Totals 29 4 7	Totals 22 3 2

Pottstown	Lancaster
ab. r. h.	ab. r. h.
Yergey, cf 2 0 0	Armstrong, 3b 3 0 1
Adams, ss 1 0 0	Greninger, c 2 0 0
Dally, 2b 3 0 0	Long, cf 3 0 0
Bardman, 1b 2 0 0	McCombs, 1b 3 0 0
Harmut, 3b 3 0 0	Miller, lf 3 0 0
Jordan, c 3 1 2	Brown, rf 3 0 0
Frech, lf 1 1 1	Hawthorne, 2b 2 0 1
Delp, rf 3 0 1	Siegrist, p 2 0 0
Leinbach, p 3 0 1	Braught, 3b 0 0 0
Totals 21 2 6	Totals 23 0 0

# Davy Crockett Hat Fad Causes Sportsmen to Side With 'Coons

HARRISBURG, June 30 (AP)—The saga of Davy Crockett is now of concern to Pennsylvania sportsmen.

A restricted season on raccoon-hunting was asked today to protect the animal from trappers hoping to cash in on the Davy Crockett "coonskin hat fad."

Ed Brasseur, DuBois, chairman of the game committee of the Pennsylvania Federation of Sportsmen's clubs, asked the State Game commission to set the special season.

He appeared before an open hearing of game commissioners scheduled to receive suggestions on the establishment of Fall hunting dates. This is the second year the commission has invited hunters to make known their special requests regarding open seasons.

Raccoon are not protected by any game commission regulations.

BRASSEUR TOLD the commission that "while the supply is rather high" the raccoons are in danger because of the unprecedented demand for fur pioneer hats.

The PFSC suggested a season



Latest Style

herd. Periodically the commission fixes an antlerless deer season—for shorthorn bucks and does—to bring the deer herd in balance with food supplies.

"The federation (PFSC) feels there is a definite deer problem in certain parts of the State," Brasseur declared.

He said, however, the federation felt the commission should make the decision on whether there would be an antlerless deer season this year. There was none in 1954.

BUT HE ALSO NOTED the federation favored having such a season "following the regular deer season."

The federation also reassured its suggestion that the antlerless deer hunting licenses—which are handled in a limited quantity—be issued through the State Revenue department instead of through county officials.

## HATFIELD SPEEDWAY

Monday, July 4th 8:30 P.M.

### MIDGET AUTO RACES

Infield Admission \$1.00

### HOLIDAY HOURS

FOR

#### POTTSTOWN BEER DISTRIBUTORS

OPEN ALL DAY TUESDAY (JULY 5)

CLOSED MONDAY, JULY 4

OPEN ALL DAY SATURDAY—JULY 2

S. PAUL SEEDERS  
Phone 221

HAAG BROS.  
Phone 224

FRANK A. SMITH  
Phone 2205

JOHN (Jack) BECHTEL  
Phone 3541

O'DELL BROS.  
Phone 40

TEMA & DAVE JOHNS  
Phone 4037

RAYMOND A. KOZAK  
Phone 2557

## LOANS

\$10 to \$600... QUICKLY

No endorsers... Up to 2 years to repay  
For extra fast service. Phone first.

The Oldest Company of its kind in Penna.  
Established in 1894

### GIRARD INVESTMENT

Two Convenient Offices in Pottstown

268 HIGH STREET (2nd Floor)  
Phone: Pottstown 2359

19 NORTH MANOVER ST. (2nd Floor)  
Phone: Pottstown 3354

Loans made in surrounding area • Closed Saturdays

## BIG SIX

By The Associated Press

Leading batemen (based on 175 at bats)

Player and Club	G	AB	R	H	PTC
Kalpine, Detroit	69	277	57	102	353
Fox, Chicago	69	284	43	95	335
Smith, Cleveland	72	300	42	96	320
Kuenn, Detroit	60	344	38	78	320

### NATIONAL LEAGUE

Player and Club	G	AB	R	H	PTC
Aschburn, Philadelphia	61	255	42	81	335
Campanella, Brooklyn	65	252	42	81	335
Aaron, Milwaukee	71	293	49	96	339

### HOME RUNS

Player and Club	G	AB	R	H	PTC
Aschburn, Philadelphia	61	255	42	81	335
Campanella, Brooklyn	65	252	42	81	335
Manlie, New York	52	211	35	64	334
Berra, New York	52	211	35	64	334

### RUNS BATTED IN

Player and Club	G	AB	R	H	PTC
Manlie, New York	52	211	35	64	334
Berra, New York	52	211	35	64	334

### GIANTS SIGN GRIER

NEW YORK, June 30 (AP)—Roosevelt Grier, former Penn State tackle, signed with the New York Giants of the National Football League today. Although he was the day that he expected to submit a draft, Grier did not accept terms when it returns July 11 calling for a new set of boxing laws in Pennsylvania.

"THE COMMISSION needs a stronger law under which to operate," he said. "I hope we can put the legislation through very quickly."

Leader ordered all professional boxing bouts banned in the commonwealth four days after Johnson failed to answer the bell for the third round in his light-heavyweight bout with Mederos.

The commission charged Johnson was dragged before the fight and then conducted nine days of hearings into the circumstances surrounding the bout.

James H. Crowley, chairman of the three-man commission, when told of Leader's comments today said he had no comment to make until the commission's report is filed with the Governor next Tuesday.

## Ring Suspension Extension Hinges on Assembly Action

HARRISBURG, June 30 (AP)—Gov. Leader today hinged a possible extension of the 90-day professional boxing suspension in Pennsylvania on the speed with which the general assembly acts on a proposal to set up a new boxing code.

Asked at his weekly news conference if the ban would be lifted when the State Athletic commission submits its report on an investigation of the Harold Johnson-Julius Mederos May 6 bout in Philadelphia, Leader said:

"There will be no lifting of the ban until the overall investigation is complete."

He focused attention on the legislature by stating that "with the passage of legislation and a stronger law there are a number of additional things they (the commission) will want to do."

The Governor announced yesterday that he expected to submit a draft, Grier did not accept terms when it returns July 11 calling for a new set of boxing laws in Pennsylvania.

"THE COMMISSION needs a stronger law under which to operate," he said. "I hope we can put the legislation through very quickly."

Leader ordered all professional boxing bouts banned in the commonwealth four days after Johnson failed to answer the bell for the third round in his light-heavyweight bout with Mederos.

The commission charged Johnson was dragged before the fight and then conducted nine days of hearings into the circumstances surrounding the bout.

James H. Crowley, chairman of the three-man commission, when told of Leader's comments today said he had no comment to make until the commission's report is filed with the Governor next Tuesday.

## Shamrocks Down Kenilworth, 9-1, to Tie for Loop Lead

Top-notch pitching continued in the Junior league last night as Jan Fritz hurled four-hit ball to pace Shamrocks to a 9-1 win over Kenilworth. The victory moves the Rocks into a tie for first with undefeated Joy Street Hotel.

In the past two Junior league games, Barry Irey and Pete Hoover hurled no-hit, no-run jobs, each allowing only one walk.

It was a tight game until the fifth when the Shamrocks bunched four of their six hits and made the most of several Kenilworth errors to score seven runs. Eleven men batted during the rally.

Joe Reider's two-run double provided the "Clover-Leaf" boys with enough runs to win in the third inning.

BUT KENILWORTH threatened in the fourth when Les Pellicotti and Jim Zelenak singled and an error allowed the losers to score. Singles by Fritz, Dave Krause, Dick Wells and Gary Raybold highlighted the seven-run uprising.

Bob McElroy, who has singled, and Raybold, on base on a walk, scored in the third on Reider's double.

Jim Huy, who had one of Kenilworth's four hits, took the mound loss. Fritz struck out 13 and walked only two.

## Elks Nip Kenilworth Knee-Hi's, 4-3, Behind Petro's 2-Hit Relief Pitching

Elks edged Kenilworth 4-3, last night to take over first place in the Knee-Hi league, dropping the Chester county boys into a four-

Nick Petro came in as a relief pitcher in the first inning and allowed only two hits the rest of the way as the Elks won their third straight without a loss.

Both teams scored a pair of runs in the first inning, but the winners broke the deadlock in the sixth with two more. Kenilworth

## Cards Top Eagles, 2-0, as Leinbach, Delp Pace Victory

Ruth Leinbach hurled a four-hit shutout for the Pottstown Cardinals last night in a 2-0 Girls Amateur Bi-State league game against Lancaster Eagles at Monocacy.

A two-run single by Mary Delp accounted for both Pottstown runs in the sixth inning. Up to that point the losers' Delores Siegrist had matched Miss Leinbach, pitch for pitch.

Pottstown now trails Allentown by only one game. It was the Cards' eighth win against three league defeats.

## DARTMOUTH BEAT Crowland (England) rowing club and by the luck of the draw Dartmouth meets the MIT oarsmen in the quarter finals tomorrow. The Pennsylvania light crew will meet the Royal Air Force. There are no Russians in the Thames contest.

## Let Us Put Your Portable Radio in Top Playing Shape Now!

FREE! Battery Testing Service

### VERHOLTZER'S RADIO SERVICE

156 W. High St. Phone 613

## FOR YOUR Holiday Pleasure

### OLD Reading BEER

Have a "wonderful good" holiday weekend. And let the taste-tingling flavor and lip-smacking enjoyment of Old Reading Beer add to your pleasure. Order a case or two from your favorite distributor now. And ask for Old Reading at your friendly club and tavern. Everybody says, "It's Wonderful Good!"

### HAAG BROS.

35 High St., Phone 224







## ROOM and BOARD by GENE AHEARN



1:50 6 FEATURES FOR 6:25 10 EARL SELBY AND MR.

2:20 3 STRANGE EXPERIENCES.  
2:30 3 POTS, PANS, AND PERSONALITIES. Mary Wilson  
4 AT HOME. Mary Dorr  
10 ART LINKLETTER'S HOUSE PARTY  
3:00 3 TED MACK MATINEE.  
6 BANDSTAND  
10 THE BIG PAYOFF  
3:30 3 GREATEST GIFT  
10 BOB CROSBY SHOW.  
3:45 3 CONCERNING MISS MARGARET.

4:00 3 HARKOWE.  
 10 3 HAWKINS FALLS.  
 10 10 BRIGHTER DAY.  
 4:15 3 1 FIRST LOVE.  
 10 10 THE SECRET STORM  
 4:30 3 THE WORLD OF MR.  
 SWEENEY  
 10 10 ON YOUR ACCOUNT.  
 4:45 3 3 MODERN ROMANCES.  
 5:00 3 PINKY LEE SHOW  
 6 HOPALONG CASSIDY.  
 "Young Eagles" and  
 "Hidden Gold."  
 10 10 TERRY AND THE  
 PIRATES.  
 5:30 3 BOWDY DOODY?  
 10 10 WILLIE AND CARNY.  
  
*Night*  
 6:00 3 FUN HOUSE

**-SAVE-**  
TOYS AT  
**1/2 PRICE**  
IN OUR BASEMENT

**TOWN TOY CO.**  
A TOYLAND EVERYWHERE IN THE STATE  
27 N. MANOVER ST.  
PHONE 5151

**IN A LEAGUE BY ITSELF!**

**55 MILLION**

**9.2**  
up  
1955

**PEOPLE BUY OVER 55,000,000 COPIES OF U.S. NEWSPAPERS EVERY DAY—MORE THAN THE NUMBER OF MAJOR LEAGUE BASEBALL TICKETS BOUGHT IN THE PAST 3 YEARS!**


**TOTAL NEWSPAPER AD REVENUE FOR THE FIRST 3 MONTHS OF 1955 WAS UP 9.2% OVER THE SAME PERIOD LAST YEAR! DON'T TAKE NEWSPAPERS FOR GRANTED!**

MONTGOMERY COUNTY'S BEST READ NEWSPAPER

like, but chew while you drive. Naturally we recommend refreshing, delicious Wrigley's Spearmint Gum—for lively, full-bodied flavor and real, smooth chewing enjoyment!

**A MERCURY  
WANT AD  
WILL RENT  
ANYTHING  
THAT'S  
RENTABLE!**

**Money  
For Your  
Vacation**



**LOANS**

**UP  
TO \$600**

**Patronize  
Your Local Company  
By Local Men**

**HIGH ST.  
PHONE 1010**

# POTTSTOWN SMALL LOAN CO.



**MUGGS McGINNIS**



**BRICK BRADFORD**



ETTA KETT



## BIG SISTER



## BARNEY GOOGLE & SNUFFY SMITH



## THE LONE RANGER



**MICKEY MOUSE**



# FELIX THE CAT





## REAL ESTATE—SALE

**Houses for Sale**

**NORTH END**—Single brick Cape Cod styled home, 4 lovely rooms and bath with expansion attached hardwood floors, oil heat, full basement. Priced at \$12,500. Call 223-1120.

**WESTER CO.**—Excellent 4 room, large bath bungalow, large lot. Call 223-1120.

**HIGH ST.**—Excellent corner property, single brick home, 7 large rooms and bath with hardwood floors, oil heat, full basement and rear porches. 2-car garage. Ideal for professional man. Call 223-1120.

**CHARLOTTE ST.**—Semi-detached 4 room, large bath, oil heat and bath, oil fired hot water heat. Very nice home on a large lot. Call 223-1120.

**WILKES CO.**—Practically new style home, 4 rooms and bath, automatic heat, large cement basement, attached garage. Call 223-1120.

**WAY ST.**—Single home, 3 rooms

and Bath Automatic gas. Large lot. Only \$23,900.  
 Workshop. Large lot. Only \$23,900.  
 1967 Buick Wildcat 2 door. New engine. New  
 brick home. Hardwood floor. Single  
 Oil heat. Garage attached. \$13,900.  
 END 1 1/2 story stone home. 2  
 bedrooms. 2 1/2 baths. Large spacious  
 Porch. tile bath. Full basement.  
 Recreation and Powder room.  
 Automatic heat. Large lot.  
 \$24,900.  
 1967 Buick Wildcat 2 door. New engine.  
 semi-detached home. Pipe line.  
 heat. \$4,000.  
**ROY BINDER AGENCY**  
 109-13 High St. Phone 544-7444  
**400 POTTS DRIVE - Well planned**  
 home in good location. 2  
 bedrooms. 2 1/2 baths. Full  
 basement. Modern kitchen.  
 Modern home in country. 7 rooms  
 and bath. Full basement.  
 with heat. 1 acre of ground.  
 with swimming pool. 2  
 lawns and screens. Nicely  
 landscaped. Phone Royersford 4101

**MAPLE CREST**  
 WINEST residential North

Three Bedroom, full basement large living room, modern "Waver" kitchen. Many exceptions. Features make this home a choice of discriminating buyer. Choose your exterior design & interior colors. These large homes are an excellent buy at only \$13,400 up. V. A. and F. H. Financing.

See these homes today. Phone for information or appointment.

LEE PILLSBURY, Realtor 480  
Wayland A. Schatz, RES 39  
ROBERT W. EVANS  
or 3660

3-Room Sub, Bungalow.....\$3  
APT. House—Good income.  
BUNGALOW—N. Hanover St.  
LEVEL.....  
LLOYD F. WAGNER  
410 High St. Phone 1997-J

**CHESTER CO.**  
The County's Finest Farms

Francis A. Hall, Real Estate Co.  
West Chester, Pa. Phone 2-1234  
West Chester 3376; Pughtown 2-1234

BOYERTOWN—Large bldg. w/ possibilities for apt., or officer's quarters. Call 2-1234.

Near BOYERTOWN—Hotel, excellent condition, will consider reasonable offer.

STONERSVILLE—Grocery store. Restaurant with 2 gas pump garage, public pool, many other features. Reasonable.

NEW BRIGHTON—Semi-furnished brick, 6 R. & B. Reasonable.

Many other listings.

HENRY K. GRIM,  
658 S. Reading Ave. Boyertown  
Phone 7-2561.

NEW '55 RANCLER—3 bedroom country style ranch, large lot, being completed. Your choice of colors. \$15,500.

ROSEDALE SECTION—Chick-

**M. YONKOVITCH**  
20 N. Evans street  
Phone 739 or 1817

213 N. Franklin St.—4 rooms  
new, tile floor, kitchen, bath,  
blinds, alum. sto., and  
and screens, attached gar.  
Call 5953-W after 4 p.m.

**WIDOW OFFERS 6 room bu-**  
ilding, good condition  
and all convs. garage, tile  
shop, excellent buy for  
\$11,000, easy financing.

**LOW, 6 room bu-**  
ilding, all convs., large im-  
mediate possession with small  
payment, full price only \$6  
down. Call 739-2131. **RESIDENCE**  
single brick dwelling  
and bath, all convs., space  
porches, old shade, 2 car gar-  
age, reasonable price.  
**CHESTER, CO.** along high  
road, convenient to town.

galow with 4 rooms and bath, possession soon, as low as \$7,500.

**IDEAL FOR PROFESSIONAL** residential use, large split level house, oil heat and convs., 2 car garage, excellent location.

**FOR COMMERCIAL USE**, 1/2 acre lot, 21,000 sq. ft. front road frontage, 2000 sq. ft. house, hot water heat and convs., ideal for gas station or other business.

**FOR QUICK SALE** reduced to \$10,000, large single brick dw in Chester Co., converted to 4 rooms, apt., all convs., gas, oil, heat, apt., old house, quiet neighborhood.

**BERKS CO.** convenient to Reading and Pottstown, 4 acres, 3000 sq. ft. 2 story, 2 car garage, house, hot water heat and convs., 7 rooms and bath, asking only \$13,500.

**SPRING CITY** 2 story, 2 car, dwelling in good condition, verted into 2 large apts.

residential seclusion and all convs.,  
IDEAL FOR COMMERCIAL OR INDU-  
STRIAL development, 13 acres in  
Chester Co. 7 room s.e. on  
farm house, 2nd floor, 2nd floor  
and outbuilds, excellent high-  
way and railroad frontage.  
30 ACRES, "MILLMAN'S ESTATE," 30 acres  
elevation, view of surrounding  
stone dwelling in excellent  
dition, 7 rooms and bath, por-  
ch, recreation room, very reason-  
able price.  
40 ACRES near Pottstown, good  
old stone dwelling, hot wa-  
ter convs., old shade, old  
barn and outbuilds, excellent  
stream, property in same fam-  
ily over a century.  
55 ACRES in Chester Co. on r.  
large stone dwelling, stone  
house, 6 rooms and bath, 1st  
barn and outbuilds, except  
buy, asking \$17,000.  
**ROBERT W. EVANS**  
29 N. Hanover St., Phone

**FERRIMIO RESULTS** are reported by WANT Ad users. If you have something to sell or to rent, you need work or someone to work for you, just phone and ask for an ad-taker.

**BULLASKA!**









## the 4th

IS ONLY ONE DAY —  
How About the Rest of  
the Year! . . . Here Are  
Some Sensible Year  
Around Values!

52 DESOTO Firestone V-8 4-dr.  
Sedan. New tune finish,  
new whitewall tires, Radio,  
heater, Fluid Torque Drive,  
perfect. . . \$1295

50 CHEVROLET 4-door Sedan.  
New light blue finish. Spot-  
less inside and out. One  
owner, low mileage. . . \$795

49 DESOTO Station Wagon.  
Perfect local one owner car.  
. . . \$2495

54 DeSoto . . . \$2195  
Firestone V-8 Hardtop  
Cpe. Full Power equip.

54 DeSoto . . . \$1995  
Fire. V-8 4-dr.

54 Mercury . . . \$1995  
Cust. 4-dr. Merc-O.

53 DeSoto . . . \$2195  
Firestone V-8, Station  
Wagon, full power equip.

53 Buick . . . \$1595  
Spec. Riv. Cpe. Dyna.

54 Ply. 4-dr Sdn. . . \$1395

53 Ply. 4-dr Sdn. . . \$1095

51 Chrys. V-8 4-dr.  
Power Steering . . . \$995

52 Ply. Club Cpe. . . \$895

51 Ford, V-8 Tudor,  
Overdrive . . . \$895

50 DeSoto Cust. 4-dr \$795

50 Olds. "98" 4-dr.  
Hydramatic . . . \$795

51 Ply. 4-dr Sdn. . . \$745

50 Ply. 2-dr Sdn. . . \$595

49 DeSoto Club Cpe.  
Tutone . . . \$595

49 Chev. 4-dr Sdn. . . \$495

## 55 Plymouth

Belvedere V-8 4-dr Sdn. Power-  
fite, radio, heater, w/w tires  
and other extras. Perfect con-  
dition. New car warranty.

## Big Savings

49 Kaiser 4-dr Sedan. . . \$385

47 Pontiac 4-dr Sdn. . . \$350

48 Nash Club Coupe. . . \$325

47 DeSoto 4-dr Sdn. . . \$335

48 Chev. 2-dr Sdn. . . \$295

48 Chev. 2-dr Sdn. . . \$295

PAYMENTS ON OUR OWN  
FINANCE PLAN!

Ludwick Motors, Inc.

DeSoto — Plymouth

Third &amp; Hanover Sts. Ph. 664

Open Evenings — Sundays

## AUTOMOTIVE

## Motorcycles—Bicycles 95

SPECIAL on new Triumph Terrier,  
\$395 up. Also our Super Sport  
7-10, the leader in the motor-  
cycle field, \$982 delivered. Easy  
terms.

FRANK KISS

18 High St. Open eve's. Phone 833

## USED CARS

54 FORD Custom 2-dr. Sedan,  
Radio & Heater. . . \$1595

53 FORD Custom 4-dr. R. & H.,  
other extras, one owner. . . \$1295

53 DODGE 4-dr. Sedan. Gyro-  
matic, radio. . . \$1345

50 BUICK Riviera 4-dr. Sedan,  
Dynaflow, R. & H., nice car.  
. . . \$795

51 FORD Country Squire Sta.  
Wagon, R. & H., 2-281  
O. D. . . \$795

50 PONTIAC Streamliner Del.  
2-dr., Hyd. R. & H., black  
beauty. . . \$745

50 CHRYSL Windsor Club Cpe.  
Radio and Heater. . . \$695

49 FORD Custom . . . \$495  
4-dr., V-8 R. & H.

49 CHEVROLET Club  
Coupe, R. & H. . . \$445

## SPENCE FORD

2nd & Chestnut Sts., Boyertown  
Phone Boyertown 2-2881  
Open Evenings—Closed Sundays

## Plymouth

## TipTop

## USED CARS

53 CHRYSLER Windsor Dx. 4-  
dr Sdn. Fully equipped, low  
mileage. . . \$1295

53 PLYMOUTH Cranbrook 4-dr.  
Sdn. R. & H. like new. Choice  
of 2. . . \$1295

52 CHRYSLER Windsor Dx 4-  
dr Sdn. R. & H. new paint,  
overhauled. . . \$1295

52 DESOTO Custom 4-dr Sdn.  
Radio & heater. . . \$1295

51 CHRYSLER New Yorker 4-  
dr Sdn. Power brakes, Fluid  
Torque Drive, R. & H. . . \$1295

51 CHRYSLER Windsor 4-dr  
Sdn. R. & H. new gray paint,  
clean. . . \$1295

51 HONRY J. R. & H. . . \$1295

50 CHRYSLER Highlander 4-dr  
Sdn. R. & H. . . \$1295

50 KAISER Traveler. Radio &  
heater. . . \$1295

49 OLDSMOBILE "98" 4-dr Sdn.  
R. & H. . . \$1295

49 PLYMOUTH Special Dx. 4-  
dr Sdn. New paint, heater,  
clean. . . \$1295

49 PLYMOUTH Dx. 2-dr Sdn.  
R. & H. overhauled. . . \$1295

48 CHRYSLER Windsor Club  
Cpe. Custom heaters, radio,  
overhauled. . . \$1295

47 HUDSON 4-dr Sdn. Good  
condition. . . \$1295

47 OLDSMOBILE Club Cpe. R.  
& H. . . \$1295

46 CHRYSLER Saratoga Club  
Cpe. Radio & htr. . . \$1295

## KLEIN'S GARAGE

OPEN EVENINGS—Mon., Tues.,  
Wed., Thurs. Till 8:00 P. M.  
Chrysler — Plymouth Dealer  
DOUGLASSVILLE  
Phone Birdsboro 2-7921

## AUTOMOTIVE

## Repairing—Painting 96

For Expert and Prompt  
Chrysler & Plymouth  
Service, Call or Drive to  
KLEIN'S GARAGE

Douglasville, Birdsboro 2-7921

DO you need repair work done  
around the house? Find a reliable  
repairman in the Business  
Guide

## 24-HOUR

AAA and KEYSTONE  
Towing & Emergency Service  
Just Phone 2552

Fast service to all who phone  
after our shop closes at 6 P. M.

Expert Auto Refinishing!  
Body and fender repairs!  
POTTSTOWN  
AUTO REFINISHING CO.  
927 High St. Phone 2552

## Before You Buy -

Visit the finest and largest Used Car operation in Mont-  
gomery County. Bargains Galore! Over 100 A-1 Used Cars  
to choose from. This is a volume operation. Drive a little  
and save a lot! HERE'S A FEW OF OUR SPECIALS THIS  
WEEKEND—

53 FORD 4-door Sedan with Power  
Pack Engine . . . \$995

52 FORD 2-door Sedan.  
Fordomatic, loaded . . . \$995

51 OLDS. "88" 4-door Sedan . . . \$895

51 FORD 4-door Sedan with  
Fordomatic Drive . . . \$695

49 MERC. 4-door Sedan . . . \$595

## Adam Scheidt Ford, Inc.

Ridge Pike & Trooper, Norristown, Pa.

Open Evenings this weekend. Phone Norristown 5-2880

## . . . and all thru the

years, you can be sure

when you invest and

drive a car from

## Nagle Motors!

Satisfaction Guaranteed!

53 DODGE Diplomat Hardtop.  
Radio & heater, tutone, gyro-  
matic transmission, 1 owner.  
Low mileage. . . \$1295

53 DODGE Coronet 4-door Sedan.  
Equipped, tutone, low mile-  
age, like new condition. . . \$1295

53 PLYMOUTH Cranbrook 4-dr.  
Sdn. R. & H. like new. Choice  
of 2. . . \$1295

52 CHRYSLER Windsor Dx 4-  
dr Sdn. R. & H. new paint,  
overhauled. . . \$1295

52 DESOTO Custom 4-dr Sdn.  
Radio & heater. . . \$1295

51 CHRYSLER New Yorker 4-  
dr Sdn. Power brakes, Fluid  
Torque Drive, R. & H. . . \$1295

51 CHRYSLER Windsor 4-dr  
Sdn. R. & H. new gray paint,  
clean. . . \$1295

51 HONRY J. R. & H. . . \$1295

50 CHRYSLER Highlander 4-dr  
Sdn. R. & H. . . \$1295

50 KAISER Traveler. Radio &  
heater. . . \$1295

49 OLDSMOBILE "98" 4-dr Sdn.  
R. & H. . . \$1295

49 PLYMOUTH Special Dx. 4-  
dr Sdn. New paint, heater,  
clean. . . \$1295

49 PLYMOUTH Dx. 2-dr Sdn.  
R. & H. overhauled. . . \$1295

48 CHRYSLER Windsor Club  
Cpe. Custom heaters, radio,  
overhauled. . . \$1295

47 HUDSON 4-dr Sdn. Good  
condition. . . \$1295

47 OLDSMOBILE Club Cpe. R.  
& H. . . \$1295

46 CHRYSLER Saratoga Club  
Cpe. Radio & htr. . . \$1295

46 CHRYSLER Saratoga Club  
Cpe. Radio & htr. . . \$1295

## KLEIN'S GARAGE

OPEN EVENINGS—Mon., Tues.,  
Wed., Thurs. Till 8:00 P. M.  
Chrysler — Plymouth Dealer  
DOUGLASSVILLE  
Phone Birdsboro 2-7921

## NAGLE MOTORS, INC.

Your Friendly Dodge-Plymouth Dealer for Over 32 Years!

1340 High Street Open Evenings  
and Sundays Phone 2800

## Be "SAFE" Not "SORRY"

In a HEYDT  
CHEVROLET  
Inspected

## OK USED CAR!

## SPORT COUPES

53 CHEV. . . \$1395  
P. G. R. & H.

50 CHEV. . . \$695  
P. G. R. & H.

## 54 Chev. 2-dr. \$1195

Radio & heater. Low mileage

53 CHEV. . . \$1295  
2-dr. Bel Air, R. & H. Tutone Beauty.

53 CHEV. . . \$1395  
2-dr. Bel Air, R. & H. Tutone. Low mileage.

53 CHEV. . . \$1295  
Club Coupe, R. & H. Very clean. ONLY

## 53 Chev. 4-dr. \$1195

R. & H. Only 14,000 miles.

52 FORD . . . \$995  
2-dr. Custom, R. & H. Fordomatic.

51 CHEV. . . \$795  
4-dr. Deluxe, R. & H. Clean.

51 CHEV. . . \$595  
2-dr. Deluxe, R. & H. 1-0. Beauty.

51 MERC. . . \$795  
4-dr. Mercomatic, R. & H. Only

50 CHEV. . . \$595  
4-dr. Sedan, R. & H. Clean.

## 50 Chev. 4-dr. Fleetline \$295

50 Packard 4-door . . . \$495

50 Stude. Commander 4-door, . . \$595

50 Studebaker Convertible . . \$295

48 Packard 2-door . . . \$295

48 Ford Club Coupe . . . \$345

47 Chevrolet 4-dr. Sedan . . \$195

48 Chevrolet Club Coupe . . \$295

48 Studebaker Coupe, very clean

Many, Many Other Fine Cars To Choose From  
Including 47-52 Chev's.

Many Other Cars — Easy GMAC Financing

## HEYDT

CHEVROLET, Inc.

2nd & Washington, Boyertown — Ph. 7-2144

## AUTOMOTIVE

## Repairing—Painting 96

UP SOMETHING'S LOST? Tell about  
it through a Lost Ad. Don't  
Wait days—place your lost ad  
promptly for quick return. O-rs  
as little as 60c for ONE DAY

## 24-HOUR

AAA and KEYSTONE  
Towing & Emergency Service  
Just Phone 2552

Fast service to all who phone  
after our shop closes at 6 P. M.

Expert Auto Refinishing!  
Body and fender repairs!  
POTTSTOWN  
AUTO REFINISHING CO.  
927 High St. Phone 2552

## TUBELESS

## Tire Sale

25% OFF on ALL

670 - 710- and 760 x 15

Goodyear Tubeless Tires

LUDWICK MOTORS, Inc.

3RD AND HANOVER STREETS

Pottstown, Pa. Phone 664

Avoid This  
And Be Sure  
with a  
Williams Pontiac  
"Like New"  
Used Car

You'll be safe and sure for that Holiday trip with a "like  
new" used car from Williams Pontiac. Everyone checked  
and tested and backed by our famous guarantee. You're best  
buy in a new or used car is Williams Pontiac. There must  
be a reason. Stop and see, our deals will please you.

54 Buick Sup. \$2695 54 Dodge Con. \$1995

Riviera hardtop, in gorgeous  
red & ivory finish, very low  
mileage. Power steering,  
dynaflow, white wall tires,  
etc. This must be seen. A  
real cream puff.

54 Pontiac . . \$1795

Only 5300 miles on this  
baby. Beautiful metallic  
tune green finish. 4-door  
Sedan. A real family car.  
Sold with a new car guar-  
antee.

53 Pont. S-W \$1895

All metal body with wood  
graining, deluxe hydramatic  
"8". Radio, heater, etc. New  
tires & paint. Spotless.

53 Pont. Conv. \$1795

Sante Fe red finish. New  
white wall tires, all leather  
interior, power steering, au-  
tomatic eye, hydramatic, "8".  
A real dream boat.

53 Ford . . . \$1395

A customline V-8, 18,000  
miles. Radio, heater, etc.  
"Like new" in every way  
and looks it. Don't miss this  
one.

51 Hudson . . \$895

"Hornet" 4-door Sedan that  
is outstanding. Black beauty  
with hydramatic and all ac-  
cessories. One you'll be  
proud to own.

Best Wishes for the 4th. Drive Safely.

Many Other Makes and Models To Choose From

E - Z TERMS TOPS FOR TRADES

We Are Never Satisfied Until Your Are

## Williams Pontiac

BOYERTOWN Phone 7-2171

Open Evenings Until 9 and Sundays Until 5!

## SAFE

play it over the 4th

driving an unsafe automobile is like playing with fire-  
crackers . . . they're liable to take off in the wrong  
direction and cause injury at any time. Make sure the  
car you drive in heavy holiday traffic is safe. Make sure  
you're driving an—

## O. K. Used Car!

'54 FORD Customline V-8 Tu-  
dor Sdn. Fordomatic,  
R. & H. . . \$1695

'54 FORD Customline V-8 Tu-  
dor, heater & de-  
froster. . . \$1495

'53 CHEV. Convertible with  
Power Glide, R. & H.  
w/w's. . . \$1595

'52 PLY. Suburban Station  
Wagon. Radio &  
heater. . . \$1145

'52 PLY. Convertible Coupe.  
Radio and heater. . . \$995

'52 CHEV. Club Coupe. Equipped  
with heater & de-  
froster. . . \$795

'51 CHEV. 4-door Sedan. Power  
Glide, radio & heater. . . \$795

'50 STUDE. 4-door Sedan. Radio  
and heater. . . \$250

'48 FORD V-8 Tudor Sedan. A  
real buy. . . \$245

'46 FORD Convertible. A sun  
tan special. . . \$195

Many more OK Cars to choose from, all priced way down. Buy  
your Used Car from a New Car Dealer!

## KEISER CHEVROLET

Open Evenings and Sundays

## Used Car Lot

EAST HIGH ST. — Opposite Sunnybrook Entrance

## AUTOMOTIVE

## Your Ad in these columns will bring you quick results at little cost.



**NOW YOU CAN HAVE...**

**FINEST  
AUTOMATIC  
DEFROSTING!**

**BIGGEST  
FREEZER  
CHEST!**



In The **KELVINATOR** Refrigerator

Complete freedom from defrosting—Kelvinator "Magic Cycle"—absolutely no thawing during defrosting—frozen foods stay safely frozen.

- ★ Huge 80 lb. Freezer Chest
- ★ Roll-out Dairy Shelf
- ★ Twin Paracel "Moisture-Seal" Crispers
- ★ Sturdy Aluminum Shelves
- ★ Designed, Engineered and Built by Kelvinator

12 Cu. Ft. Model **\$399.95**

Less a Big Trade-in Allowance on Your Old Refrigerator

**TAKE TIME TO PAY**

WE CARRY OUR OWN TIME PAYMENTS. NO BANK OR FINANCE COMPANY TO DEAL WITH.

FOR A BETTER BUY SEE

**H. RENTZ SMALE**

19 N. HANOVER ST. POTTSTOWN, PA.

PHONE 1088

THE STORE OF AMERICA'S TOP NAME BRANDS

### Symphony Group Gives Jazz Band Concert

BALTIMORE, June 30 (P)—Symphony Conductor Massimo Freccia, living up to a promise to live up the local classical music scene, plans to present "Concerto for Jazz Band and Symphony Orchestra" at a concert next fall.

On the outer fringe of the Lyric theater stage will be the 86 pieces of the Baltimore symphony. In the middle will be what the program calls a progressive jazz ensemble—the 19-piece Sauter-Finnegan orchestra.

The concerto, written by a modern German composer named Lieberman, is essentially a dialogue between the jazz group and the symphony orchestra, Massimo said.

Want to earn extra money? Give The Mercury tips on news, events, social gatherings. You may win part of \$10 awarded weekly. Just telephone 6000.

### Former Mont Clare Girl and Husband Honored at Reception in Phoenixville

MONT CLARE—Mrs. Thomas Carns, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Carns, of Bridge and Grace streets, Mont Clare, died June 27 at the Phoenixville hospital.

Mr. William F. Snyder, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Snyder, of Bridge street, Mont Clare recently spent a furlough at his home. He left for Camp Kilmer, N. J., prior to being transferred to France.

Mr. Snyder, who recently enlisted for six years, expects to spend two years overseas. He has completed two and a half years of service.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Clifton and Mr. James Kerschner, Mont Clare; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kerschner, Philadelphia, West Chester, David Detwiler, Ernest Brouse and Clare. The Mazureks are making Nancy Landis, of Phoenixville, their home at Hertford, N. C., recently attended a surprise birthday celebration for Claude Kerschner, of Trappe, given by his wife.

### Davy Crockett Fails To Claim Sticker

ROCK ISLAND, Ill., June 30 (P)—Davy Crockett hasn't showed up yet at City Clerk Emil A. Johnson's office for wheel tax stickers but three other famous names beat the deadline.

Wayne King, Roy Rogers and Jack Dempsey purchased tax stickers, records show.

GET OUR FREE ESTIMATE ON  
**ALUMINUM STORM WINDOWS & DOORS**  
**VENETIAN BLINDS AND AWNINGS**  
**CALL POTTSTOWN 5384**  
**RICHARD CHRIST [C & C Sales]**



Whether it's the shore or mountains this holiday weekend—protect your eyes with **CALOBAR SUN GLASSES**

from  
**W. L. STONE & SON**  
Registered Jeweler — American Gem Society  
210 High St., Pottstown

ON YOUR *Anniversary*  
Complete her Happiness by Adding to her...

**Fleurloom Sterling**

Such a wonderful way to commemorate anniversaries, birthdays, holidays... fill-in her incomplete set of FLEURLOOM STERLING. Or give her a new lease on life—re-start her by choosing from our fascinating collection of FLEURLOOM STERLING... the finest solid silver.

SIX PLUS ONE PLACE SETTING gives you an extra teaspoon at a saving. You get 7 pieces for only \$29.75.

**AE WILLAUER**  
Diamond Merchant and Jeweler  
217 HIGH STREET, POTTSTOWN, PA.  
Stone Air Conditioned for Your Comfort

**BEFORE YOU TAKE YOUR CAMERA ON THIS HOLIDAY WEEKEND...**

- Is Your Film Fresh-dated To Insure Results?
- Is Your Film the Correct Size for Your Camera?
- Do You Have Enough Film to Get All the Shots You'll Want?

If there's any doubt stop in and we'll be happy to help you with your camera problems! And remember we're headquarters for color film and processing.

**ARROW CAMERA SHOP**  
Where Dependable Merchandise Governs Your Selection  
80 N. Charlotte St. Phone 1640

**Weiss**  
AIR-CONDITIONED FOR YOUR SHOPPING COMFORT  
214-216 HIGH ST. POTTSTOWN, PA.

"YOU CAN PAY MORE — BUT YOU CAN'T BUY BETTER"

FOR A **Wonderful 4th**

**SUPER-VALUES DRESSES**

JUNIORS! MISSES! WOMEN'S! HUNDREDS TO CHOOSE FROM!

- COOL SHEERS AND BEMBERGS! ● NYLONS!
- EVERGLAZE CHAMBRAYS! ● SUNBACKS!
- CRISP-COTTONS! ● HALTER BACKS!

**TERRIFIC VALUES! \$5.95 up**

**sea nymph SWIM SUITS**

**SUPER — VALUES**

Sea Nymph's perfect built-in boned bra and tapered — shapely torso plays up your prettiest curves and angles. Fade resistant Lastex. Little Boy Shorts, for a slim-dandy look. As pictured Here

SIZES 32 to 44 **\$10.95**

Other Sea Nymphs **\$7.95 to \$12.95**

All Sizes and Styles

COTTON & LASTEX **SWIMSUITS** All Sizes **\$5.95**

**PLAY-WEAR** Bermuda SHORTS **\$1.95** SKIRTS HALTERS Blouses to Match Pedal-Pushers

**Pre-Holiday Values Special Purchase!**

**DRESSES**  
\$6.95 VALUES **\$4.99**  
\$8.95 and \$10.95 VALUES **\$6.99**  
All Sizes... Specializing in Half Sizes

**BATHING SUITS SURF TOGS**

The only swim suit with patented built-in "Phan-tum" girdle

\$7.95 and \$8.95 VALUES **\$5.00**  
\$8.95 and \$10.95 VALUES **\$7.00**  
\$12.95 and \$14.95 VALUES **\$10.00**

Shop at Betty Lee's for a full selection of Shorts, Halters, Bras, Blouses and all items for Fun-in-the-Sun this Holiday Weekend.

CHILDREN'S **DRESSES** **\$1.00** VALUES TO \$2.98 Sizes 1 to 3, 3 to 6x

**SKIRTS** VALUES TO \$3.98 **\$2.00**

**Betty Lee**  
236 High at Penn Sts., Pottstown, Penna.  
STORE HEALTHY AIR CONDITIONED

**Summer clearance**

all summer stock reduced now — at the beginning of the season

dresses were 8.95 to 39.95... **7.00 to 22.00**

skirts were 3.95 to 16.95... **3.00 to 11.00**

sleeveless blouses were 1.50 to 5.95... **1.50 to 4.50**

shorts were 2.75 to 5.95... **2.75 to 4.50**

cotton knit shirts were 1.25 to 3.95... **1.25 to 3.00**

nylon slips & half slips were 2.95 to 8.95... **2.00 to 6.00**

nylon gowns & shorties were 5.95 to 9.95... **4.00 to 7.00**

bathing suits were 5.95 to 25.95... **4.50 to 16.00**

long or short nylon pajamas were 9.95 to 10.95... **3.00 to 7.00**

corduroy, khaki, flannel sport jackets were 10.95 to 16.95... **8.00 to 12.00**

shrugs were 3.95 to 5.95... **3.00 to 4.50**

pedal pushers were 4.95 and 5.95... **4.00**

king at charlotte

open tonight 'til 9

**Viola Brown** dress shop

**Sparklers for the 4th**

For Dry Skin From the Sun Houbigant **Body Tone** 3 for \$1.00  
For Summer "PEP-UP" **GERITOL** \$1.19

For Car Sickness—Seasickness Dramamine Tablets 12 for 95c  
**KODAK FILM** 120-or-620 2 for 85c  
Davy Crockett **SUN GLASSES** 25c

Really Tan Without Burning **SAN TAN** \$1.00  
85c Reg. **NOXZEMA** 69c  
Sea Scout **SWIM SNORKEL** 98c

**SURFACOL POISON IVY LOTION**

Quick Relief for Annoying Itch of Poison Ivy, Weed Oak or Sumac Poison. (As Reliable As MURRAY and DICK)

Cool Off With Jean Nate **BODY LOTION** \$1.50  
Every Make **SUN TAN LOTIONS**  
Reduce Safely **SLIM TRIM** \$3.50

**SUNSET**

OPEN EVERY DAY  
12-14 Moser Rd. 333 W. High  
Phone 2357 Phone 1232  
8:30 A. M. TO 11 P. M.